

## THE SENATOR FROM PIKE CO.,

**Insists That Hanna is Not the Entire Republican Party**

**And That He Cannot Nominate Myron Herrick, the Cleveland Banker for Governor, Leaving Dick Out in the Cold.**

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—(Special)—Senator S. L. Patterson, of Pike county is in the city, and while here has relieved himself of a little pent-up political "talk." During the late campaign, the senator was an active and potential force about the Republican headquarters being chairman of the speakers' bureau, and is considered quite close to General Dick. In the judgment of this pugnacious politician, the Republican nomination will go to General Dick for the mere asking. Senator Patterson states that all through the campaign, visitors to the Republican headquarters were par-

ticular anxious that General Dick should have the nomination in 1903. It may be that these visitors were simply spreading the "Mexican" salvo over the General, but Senator Patterson is confident that they were in earnest, and he further says that if General Dick is the candidate, as he surely will be there will be "nothing to it," that Dick will simply run away with the nomination making all the others look like selling platters. "All General Dick has to do," said the Pike county statesman using the rather inelegant but very pointed expression of Senator Hanna, "is to stand pat."

## TROUBLE EXPECTED

**From Numerous Sources When Statehood Bill is Brought Within the Reach of Congress Next Week.**

Claremore, I. T., Dec. 3.—It is accepted as a foregone conclusion that the inquiry Senator Beveridge and his fellow-committeemen from the Senate committee on territories have been making through Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona will precipitate a free-for-all fight on the statehood question when the bill comes up in the senate next week. The bill before the senate is known as the trio-state bill and provides for the admission of New Mexico and Arizona to statehood and the creation of a single state out of Oklahoma and Indian territories. The Trio State bill was the result of the efforts of Mr. Flynn, the delegate from Oklahoma, who felt so sure of its passage by the senate that he declined a recommendation to the House, with the intention of being one of the first Senators from the new state.

In both Oklahoma and Indian territories, however, there is a large element which is strenuously opposed to combining the two into one state. They favor single statehood and are working hard to promote their cause. Citizens of Oklahoma object to the joint statehood proposition on the ground that the Indian territory is far behind their territory in progress, development and civilization, while a

large element of the Indian territory people are of the opinion that Oklahoma would have all the best of it in the combination deal.

The single statehood advocates of the two territories have decided to come together for the promotion of their plans. To this end a single statehood convention composed of nearly 100 delegates from each of the two territories assembled here today. The purpose of the convention is to frame a bill that will be introduced as a substitute for the omnibus bill, and which will provide for the making of a single state of the territory of Oklahoma and the Indian territory.

### OMNIBUS BILL.

**Does Not Find Favor With the Committee on Territories.**

Washington, Dec. 3.—At a full meeting this morning of the senate committee on territories, it was agreed to recommend adversely on the omnibus statehood bill which included Oklahoma, Arizona and New Mexico and to report instead a bill providing for the admission to statehood of Oklahoma and Indian Territory as one state. There are to be certain restrictions to care for the interests of Indians, and a declaration against polygamy.

## DAMAGED BY FIRE.

Porter, O., Dec. 3.—At 3 o'clock this morning, fire started in the kitchen of the new Remington hotel and destroyed all but the first story, which was occupied by business houses. The loss is estimated at \$30,000.

### CROWN PRINCE

**Expresses Thanks for Hospitality Shown Him.**

Washington, Dec. 3.—President Roosevelt has just received a telegram of thanks from the crown prince of Siam, dated at Vancouver. He expresses his hearty appreciation of American hospitality and says he will take to Siam, the happiest memories of America and Americans.

## ADVERSE DECISION.

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—(Special)—The supreme court has handed down a decision in the case of the city of Cleveland vs. Clement Bros., in which it declared the contested eight-hour labor law unconstitutional. The case was carried up to the supreme court by the city. The decision follows a similar one rendered about a year ago. What effect on the labor world the declaring of this eight-hour labor law to be unconstitutional is a question.

### ONLY A FEW

**"Little Tycoon" Tickets Left. Seat Sale Tomorrow.**

There are but few tickets for the "Little Tycoon" left. These can be found at the box office in the opera house. The cause is a most worthy one and all Lima people will be benefited by it.

Holders of tickets can have same exchanged for reserved seats any time after 9 o'clock tomorrow morning.

**FREE CHRISTMAS DINNER FOR 600 WORTHY POOR.**

The Salvation Army has issued the following letter:

Dear Friend—Once more the happy Christmas season is approaching and as usual the Salvation Army has made its plans to bring Christmas cheer and comfort to the hearts and homes of those of the most worthy poor of this city.

Amidst the joys and festivities of our homes at Christmas there will be many of our fellow creatures that will personally know nothing of Christmas trees, exchanging gifts, of tables laden with the good things of life, unless those who have the ability come to their assistance. The Army will give a free dinner at their hall, 126 east Market street, Christmas day, and will provide a good Christmas dinner for 300 persons, including 100 baskets of food that will be sent to poor families, each basket containing sufficient food for five persons.

In addition it is proposed to have lists of clothing, toys, nuts, candies, etc. for poor children Christmas night. Will you not help us to make it possible? In helping our unfortunate neighbors at this season we shall more enjoy the many blessings so graciously bestowed upon us.

Thanking you in anticipation, I am, Sincerely yours,

ENSIGN TEED

P. S.—Please make all checks payable to Ensign H. Teed, 126 east Market street.

### Washington Society.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 3.—Miss "Lion," daughter of the secretary of Agriculture, was the hostess today at a pretty luncheon given in honor of Princess Margiea Susana of Rome, and Mme. de Talleyrand of Paris. The "an" visitors from abroad are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Walsh, who are to give a large dinner tomorrow evening in their honor.

W. O. W.

There will be an important meeting of the Woodmen of the World at their hall Thursday evening, Dec. 4, as there will be an election of officers and other important business to come before the meeting. A full attendance is desired. By order of the clerk.

### UNVEILING

**Of King Edward's Statue Took Place today.**

London, Dec. 3.—A handsome statue of King Edward was unveiled at Reading today, the occasion being made one of interesting ceremony. The unveiling was performed by Prince Christian in the presence of an immense crowd.

### FAST FIGHTERS.

**Peter Maher and Kid Carter Get Together Tonight.**

Philadelphia, Pa., Dec. 3.—Followers of ring events in the Quaker City are on the qui vive in anticipation of the bout at the Penn Art club tonight between Peter Maher and "Kid" Carter. Interest in the match is heightened by the excellent showing Maher made in his recent go with "Philadelphia Jack" O'Brien. Both Carter and Maher are fast fighters and hard hitters so that the meeting is likely to be a grueling match whether it lasts only a round or goes the limit.

## MORGAN INQUIRES.

San Francisco, Dec. 3.—Senator Morgan wires Dr. Voisard here for information concerning climatic conditions at Panama the data to be used in the Isthmian canal discussion before congress. Morgan favors the Nicaraguan route. Voisard has just returned from Panama and reports thousands dying of disease and starvation.

### DUTIES

**Of Anthracite Strike Commission are Resumed.**

Scranton, Dec. 3.—The anthracite strike commission resumed its hearing here this morning after a 10 days recess to permit both sides in the case to come to a settlement, which they failed to do.

## FLYWHEEL FATALITY.

East Liverpool, Dec. 3.—The flywheel of the United Power Co., burst today and wrecked the power house. A piece weighing over a ton crashed through the walls, was hurled a block further and struck a portion of Burgess & Co's establishment. John Miller, a carpenter working there was struck and killed instantly. Another piece went through the walls of the Lisbon street school. No one was injured.

### POLICEMAN

**And Liveryman Drive to Bluffton on the Hunt**

**Of a Horse and Buggy That was Taken by Mistake by One of the Bessemer Gas Engine Men.**

This morning about 8:30 o'clock undertaker Charles Eckert, of the firm Eckert & Son, drove to the C. H. & D. depot with a horse and buggy belonging to the livery firm of Bowers & Albrecht and left the rig hitched on Wayne street while he was at the depot attending to the shipment of a body over to the C. H. & D. and when he returned for his horse and buggy, he found they had disappeared. He had seen a man drive across the tracks with the rig but thinking it was Mr. Albrecht, warning the horse, he paid no attention to the matter until later, when he met Mr. Albrecht and the latter said he had not taken the rig. The police were notified and Mr. Albrecht and officer Phil Neubrecht drove to Bluffton in search of the rig and during their absence it was learned that one of the Bessemer Gas engine people had ordered a rig and finding Mr. Eckert's hitched in front of the place he started away with it, supposing it was the one he had ordered. The mistake was explained and the Bessemer gas engine man stands free.

## WRECKED IN A GALE.

Swansea, Dec. 3.—The brigantine Brynmor put back to this port today, having met with terrific gales in the bay of Biscay. It is reported that the steamer Neptune of Bilbao, was wrecked in the gale, which blew away her funnels and ventilators. Waves extinguished the fires in the engine room of the Neptune and practically made a derelict of her. Five of the Neptune's passengers were rescued by the Brynmor, five have disappeared in a small boat and 28 others are known to have been drowned.

### DAUGHTER

**Of Prominent Manufacturer was Married Today.**

Chicago, Ill., Dec. 3.—A society event of note today was the wedding of Miss Joan Chalmers and Mr. Normal Williams, Jr. The bride is the daughter of W. J. Chalmers, the manufacturer, while the bridegroom is the son of the late Normal Williams, a well known railroad man.

### CHIEF JUSTICE

**Oliver Wendell Holmes is Tendered a Bouquet.**

Boston, Mass., Dec. 3.—Anticipating the speedy confirmation by the United States Senate of the appointment of Chief Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, of Massachusetts as a Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States, the bar association of Middlesex county will give a banquet in his honor this evening. The state officials and the judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts of Massachusetts have accepted invitations to be present.

## MARRIED IN LONDON.

London, Dec. 3.—The marriage of Miss Alice Constance Ward, of New York to Captain Cyril Blackburne-Tew, at Holy Trinity church, Salome street today was one of the brightest ever seen. The church was crowded with representatives of the American contingent and English society as well. Seldom has been seen a more beautiful dress than that worn by the bride. It was made of ivory satin with full court train of Brussels lace chiffon. The bridesmaids looked remarkably pretty in delicately flowered silk dresses made over white chiffon petticoats, with blue sashes, distributing favors made of lilies of the valley and gardenias to the guests. The bride was given away by her brother, Count Reginald Ward.

After the bride and groom had driven away from the church everyone repaired to the Hyde Park hotel, where refreshments of all kinds were dispensed. Later in the afternoon, Captain and Mrs. Tew started for Paris, where they will make their future home.

### SENIORS

**Will Give an Entertainment Tonight.**

The senior class of the Y. M. C. A. will give an entertainment at the gymnasium tonight to which the public is cordially invited free of charge. There will be gymnastics and athletic exercises and the program will close with an indoor baseball game.

### ANOTHER

**Youth Arrested for Stealing Coal in Erie Yards.**

Alonzo Hall, a south side youth, was arraigned in mayor's court this morning, charged with stealing coal from the Erie railroad. He pleaded guilty and was fined two dollars for the offense. Ed Neelan, the young man arrested a few days ago, on a similar charge, was fined the costs of prosecution. Both defendants were arrested by an Erie detective who seems to be endeavoring to break up the practice of persons stealing fuel in the local yards of the Erie railroad.

## SUSPENDED IN THE AIR.

**The School Laws of Ohio are in a Chaotic Condition**

**Because the Cox Code Carpenters Paid More Attention to the Political Than to the Practical Features of the Code.**

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—(Special)—The matter of the election of members of the board of education in any city in Ohio, under the municipal code law, is exciting much attention. A careful examination of the code brings out the fact that the general assembly evidently left wide open one of the most important branches of government—that of the public schools. Practically no provision is made in the code for the reorganization of the school boards of the state on a constitutional basis. There will probably be peculiar shifts in the election of members of the board of education in the spring. It has been claimed that members of the board in even wards will hold over and that members of the board in the odd wards will have to be elected.

Mr. Smith Bennett, special counsel in the attorney general's office, said

that the new code was undoubtedly defective in this respect. There can be found no legislative remedy for the present troubles until the legislature again comes into regular session. State School Commissioner Bonebrake, he said, has prepared a code for the reorganization of the schools of the state.

Mr. Bennett said that there is on foot a plan to have the supreme court continue in office the present boards of education until a year from next spring.

There is doubt of every bond issue by a school board in a classified district. There is a question as to whether any improvements can be made by a school board in a classified district. These questions must also be settled. It is therefore more than likely that there will be no elections in Columbus next spring for members of the board of education.

## IT IS FEARED THAT TWO WERE CREMATED

**Besides as Many Killed in a Wreck on the Q. & C. This Morning.**

CHATTANOOGA, TENN., DEC. 3.—A SERIOUS WRECK OCCURRED NEAR SUNBRIGHT, TENN. THIS MORNING. A PASSENGER TRAIN ON THE QUEEN AND CRESCENT SOUTHBOUND, DUE IN THIS CITY AT 6:20 O'CLOCK, RAN INTO A FREIGHT CAR KILLING THE FIREMAN, AND INJURING SEVERAL PASSENGERS. SEVERAL COACHES WERE DETACHED AND TWO ARE BURNING. TWO OF THE COACHES WERE FILLED WITH NORTHERN HOMESEKERS.

TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE COLONISTS' RATES FOR THE WEST THE LATEST BY TELEPHONE SAYS ONE BAGGAGE, ONE EXPRESS AND TWO PASSENGER CARS WERE CONSUMED BY FIRE. FIREMAN ELLIOTT AND EXPRESS MESSENGER HELM, ARE MISSING, AND ARE BELIEVED TO BE BURNED TO DEATH. A NEGRO TRAMP WAS KILLED. TWO HUNDRED AND THREE PASSENGERS WERE ON THE TRAIN, BUT NOT ONE WAS INJURED.

## TOM REED IS SICK.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Condition of former speaker Thomas B. Reed, who was stricken with acute gastritis last night, is reported to be improved this morning. He passed a fairly comfortable night.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Ex-Speaker Reed's ailment is thought to be catarrh of the appendix. It is expected that an operation will be necessary and his family has therefore been summoned. His condition this afternoon is reported to be about the same, as it was a slight improvement over last night.

### OFFICERS

**Elected by Lima Tent, Knights of Maccabees.**

At the regular meeting of Lima Tent No. 142, Knights of the Maccabees, last evening, the following officers were elected:

Past commander, E. J. Elliott, commander, A. E. Speer, lieutenant commander, Wm. A. Derringer, record keeper, H. J. Beckman, finance keeper, J. F. Miller, master at arms, W. E. Baker, chaplain, Frank E. Baker, physician, Dr. J. F. Mathews, sergeant, J. A. Fryberger, first master guard, D. C. Patton, sentinel, L. S. Parker, picket, W. W. Fay, team captain, Wm. A. Derringer.

## CONTROVERSY With Colombia is Practically at an End.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Dr. Herran, acting minister from Colombia, called upon Secretary Hay at the state department at the extremely early hour of nine o'clock this morning and had a conference with him for about half an hour. It is generally understood here now that all controversy is at an end regarding the United States control of the right of way on the isthmus and that only the price to be paid Colombia remains for decision.

## STREETER IS GUILTY.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Captain George Wellington Streeter, self styled "governor of Lake Michigan," a valuable strip along the lake shore, in the millionaire district, was found guilty this morning of manslaughter. He and Henry Hockliffe, against whom a similar verdict was rendered, were accused of the murder of John S. King, watchman employed by forces opposing Streeters claim to the district. The convicted men will be given indefinite sentences.

### Grain and Pork.

Chicago, Dec. 3.—Closing December wheat 73; corn 2 1/2; oats 2 1/2; pork 18.00.

### Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Dec. 3.—Cattle light, steady; sheep fair steady; hogs light, active, at decline 10 cents.

### CALEB POWERS

**Has Been Awarded a New Trial by Appellate Court.**

Frankfort, Ky., Dec. 3.—The appellate court today reversed Scott circuit court and awarded Caleb Powers a new trial. Powers was convicted of complicity in the assassination of the late Gov. Goebel and was given a life sentence.

## SAGASTA RESIGNS.

Madrid, Dec. 3.—Premier Sagasta today handed his resignation to King Alfonso. The retiring premier stated that his decision to relinquish his portfolio was irrevocable.

## SAILORS EXPOSED.

New York, Dec. 3.—A despatch from Culebra Island, Porto Rico, where the great American fleet is assembled for the winter maneuvers, reports that a Midshipman Richard Wainwright, son of the famous commander of that name, is ill of fever contracted in digging ditches in connection with the maneuvers. Five hundred sailors from the ships have been digging in the tropical marshes and there is intense feeling in the fleet because the men are so exposed. There is plenty of labor on the island that could be utilized.

### The Weather.

Washington, Dec. 3.—Ohio. Snow tonight except fair in the extreme southwest portion. Much colder, Thursday fair, except snow in the northeast portion. Colder.

# CENTENNIAL ANNIVERSARY

Expected to be Celebrated in All Ohio  
Schools on February 27th.

The Following Program Prepared by the State  
Historical Society Will be Found to  
Contain Much Material for Com-  
position Work.

On the 27th of the coming February, the schools of Ohio are expected to celebrate Ohio's Centennial Anniversary. A suggestive program for the occasion will be prepared under the auspices of the State Historical Society. In order to make this occasion one of great educational value, the following is a suggestive outline for preparatory study. Much valuable material for composition work can here be found. The literary work in High School's might with profit be turned in this direction. The local geography and history of the country should not be neglected.

First Year—Tell how Mound builders lived. Their mounds if no mounds are accessible have children make one under your direction. Tell them about mounds in shape of serpents and other animals. Tell what is found in them. Show them some of the axes, etc., that have been found in mounds.

Tell how Indians lived. Tell stories about Indian children. Tell in brief the story of Hiawatha. Tell about his clothing. Compare it with that of the boys and girls at school. Tell them the story of how Logan once made a pair of moccasins for a little girl. Tell how Hiawatha's face was the color of a copper cent. Show them the Indian head on a cent. Build a wigwam. Tools used by Indians. Furniture of the house. Food of the Indians. Where found. Story of Hiawatha's bow and arrows. Story of Mandamin. Discs of Hiawatha's time. Making of pottery. Story of Shungobis the Ojibwa. Clothing of the Indians. How obtained. Implements used. Story of Hiawatha's canoe. Story of Pearl Feather. Read from "Stories of Indian Children" by Mary Hall Husted. Story of the Four Winds from Hiawatha.

Tell about the condition of the country when the first white men came to Ohio. Everywhere came. Wild animals. Pioneers' words. How they dressed. Their homes. How they cooked. Their contest with the Indians. How they built houses and towns.

Second Year—Same as first year. Read for them Stevenson's poem, "Little Indian." Tell the story of Logan in its entirety.

Third Year—Same as preceding years. Indians that lived in the country. Indian writing. Trails. Villages. Mounds in the country. Pioneers. LaSalle's journey. Tell how people immigrated to the state from the east. Tell how the pioneers traveled. Canals were dug. First roads. Changes in travel. Tell the story of the Moravian Indians.

Fourth Year—Same as preceding years. White Man's Foot from Hiawatha. Historic places in the country. Story of Anthony Wayne. Song "The Hills of Ohio," page 286 Vol. 1. How's Ohio. The Buckeye, the Seminole's Defiance.

Fifth Year—Same as preceding years. Geography of Ohio. Influence of Puritan's coming to Ohio. Cause of Settlement. French and Indian War. Indian Tribes in Ohio. The peace pipe from Hiawatha. Why Ohio was a favorite place of the Indians. Lowell's "A Chippewa Legend." Mudjikeewis from Hiawatha. Hiawatha's Friends. History of Pupils' County. Story of Col. Crawford. Bouquet's Expedition. The Girls' Poem, "Ohio," page 264. Vol. 1. How's Ohio.

Sixth Year—Same as preceding. Ohio River Valley. Northwest Territory. Marquette. O. Company. Pioneer Social Life. Educational genesis.

Results of French and Indian War. Relation of both French and British to Indians. The London Plates. George Rogers Clark. Dunmore's War. St. Clair's Defeat. Tecumseh. Gen. F. H. Harrison. Underground railroad.

Seventh Year—Same as preceding years. Ordinance of 1797. War of 1812 in Ohio. Why was control of Lake Erie necessary to us? Perry's victory. Gallipolis. Chillicothe. Wayne's Expedition. Underground Railroad. Blennerhassett. Indian Names in Ohio. General Grant. Edwin M. Stanton.

Eighth Year—Same as preceding. Zane's Trace. National Road. Canals of State. Morgan's Raid. Dr. Cutler. Rufus Putnam. Ohio Company Purchase. Virginia Military Lands. Western Reserve. Christopher Gist. Daniel Boone. Gen. Phil. Sheridan. Salmon P. Chase.

High School—Same as Preceding. Section 16. Seven Ranges. Makers of Ohio. Symmes Purchase. How Lands were surveyed. Refugee Tract. University townships. Scioto Land Scheme. Gen. Sherman. Thomas Corwin. The Cosmopolitan Character of Ohio people.

The following books will be an aid to all teachers and students. The publications of the Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society. Fowler's History of Archaeology in Ohio. Howe's Historical Collection. Langue's Ohio History. Venable's Short Stories from Ohio History. Ohio Stories by Educational Pub. Co., Boston. It's Ohio History. Naylor's "In the Days of St. Clair," and "The Sign of the Prophet" and "Under the Banner of Mad Anthony." "On the Frontier with St. Clair." Various County Histories. Ohio Educational monthly on "Makers of Ohio," Prof. Peterson's "Ohio History Reader," Etc.

C. L. MARTZOLFF, Pres. School Centennial Committee, Ohio Archaeological and Historical Society, New Lexington, Ohio.

Stylish Suits and Overcoats of M. S. & Co. make, at greatly reduced prices during The Union's sale.

LIMA HIVE NO. 43 are requested to meet at their hall tonight. Election of officers will take place; also business of importance. All are to meet at 7:30 prompt.

Saved at Grave's Brink. "I know I would long ago have been in my grave," writes Mrs. S. H. Newsum, of Decatur, Ala., "if it had not been for Electric Bitters. For three years I suffered untold agony from the worst forms of Indigestion, Water-brash, Stomach and Bowel Dyspepsia. But this excellent medicine did me a world of good. Since using it I can eat heartily and have gained 35 pounds." For Indigestion, Loss of Appetite, Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles Electric Bitters are a positive guaranteed cure. Only 50c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

FREE RHEUMATIC CURE. A Great Chance for Anyone Suffering From Rheumatism.

In order to prove the great value of a wonderful new cure for Rheumatism, we will give away absolutely free a limited number of full size \$1.00 bottles to actual sufferers from Rheumatism, who will call at Vorkamp's drug store, on Friday, Dec. 5, between 10 a. m. and 5 p. m. 42-21

You've got to hustle all the time to keep in the swim. If you are slipping down the ladder of prosperity, take Rocky Mountain Tea. Makes People strenuous. H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

WOOD. Bowers & Albrecht will sell you wood on short notice. Leave orders at their barn at 123 west Spring street. New phone 525. old phone 370. prices reasonable. 37-11

MASONIC CLUB DANCE. NEXT THURSDAY, DEC. 4TH. ALL MASON ARE INVITED. DANCING 8:30 P. M. REFRESHMENTS. 42-21

## Nothing Tastes Good

And eating is simply perfunctory—done because it must be. This is the common complaint of the dyspeptic.

If eating sparingly would cure dyspepsia, few would suffer from it long.

The only way to cure dyspepsia, which is difficult digestion, is to give vigor and tone to the stomach and the whole digestive system.

Hood's Sarsaparilla cured the niece of Frank J. N. St. South Boston, Mass. She had been a great sufferer from dyspepsia for six years; had been without sleep and had been troubled with sour stomach and headache. She had tried many other medicines in vain. Two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla made her well.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Promises to cure and keeps the promise. Don't wait till you are worse, but buy a bottle today.

OIL MARKET.	
Tiona oil	\$1.57
Pennsylvania oil	1.42
Somerset oil	.87
Cornwall oil	1.25
New Castle oil	1.17
North Lima oil	1.03
South Lima oil	.98
Indiana oil	.93

How to Prevent Croup.

It will be good news to the mothers of small children to learn that croup can be prevented. The first sign of croup is hoarseness. A day or two before the attack the child becomes hoarse. This is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the rough cough appears, and it will dispel all symptoms of croup. In this way all danger and anxiety may be avoided. This remedy is used by many thousands of mothers and has never been known to fail. It is, in fact, the only remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

Making Marble Out of Chalk.

In nature marble is made out of chalk by water which percolates through the chalky deposits, dissolves the chalk particle by parties and crystallizes it, mountain pressure solidifying it. It has been found that similar results may be accomplished by chemical means. First slices of chalk are dipped in a color basin, staining them with this that will imitate any kind of marble known. For this purpose the same mineral stains are used as are employed in nature. For example, to produce counterfeit "verde antique" oxide of copper is utilized. In like manner green, pink, black and other colorings are obtained. Next the chalk slices go into another bath, by which they are hardened and crystallized, coming out to all intents and purposes real marble.

The Pride of Heroes.

Many soldiers in the last war wrote to say that for scratches, bruises, cuts, wounds, corns, sore feet and stiff joints, Bucklen's Arnica Salve is the best in the world. Same for Burns, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Skin Eruptions and Piles. It cures or no pay. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

Tombs of the Ancient Prophets.

There exist in parts of Islam many tombs of the prophet Daniel. Of these one of the most celebrated is at Cairo. This fact need not astonish us. The Muhammadans admit without hesitation the duplication or even indefinite multiplication of the bodies of holy persons without their veneration for each of the remains being diminished in the least. It is worth noting that the nature of the honorary qualifications accorded to the same saint varies in different countries. Thus, for example, Daniel has at Cairo the name of Nebi-Daniel—that is, they give him the title of prophet, as being at the same time that which suits him best and is the most honorable title he can confer. In Algeria or Morocco—feudal countries—the title they give to saints is sidi, which signifies lord, which is also the title there of military and political chiefs. In central Asia they give to those canonized persons whom they respect most, as to the prophet Daniel, the title of khodja, which means in Arabic writer or lettered.

Krause's Headache Capsules. Are unlike anything prepared in America. They were first prescribed by Dr. Krause, Germany's famous court physicians, long before antipyrine was discovered, and are almost marvelous, so speedily do they cure the most distressing cases. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

A Good Policy.

The Dry Goods Economist says of our store with which it is familiar: "Every employee in it seems to be good natured. Why should there be any difference in this respect between this establishment and the average store? Is not human nature about the same the world over? True, but there is a difference. The proprietor of this store is not only a merchant, but a gentleman. He treats his employees with marked courtesy and consideration. As a consequence they feel so kindly disposed toward him and his business that their good will is reflected in their treatment of his customers." Some storekeepers never find out why it is that so few of their casual customers become regulars.

Landlord—"How do you like your new steam heater?" Old Man—"Oh, yer honor, me an' th' ol' woman wuz jest a-sayin' it was dretful lonesome 'thout th' ol' stove-pipe a-droppin' on us every now an' then."

For sick headache try Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets; they will ward off the attack if taken in time. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

# Suits and Skirts.

There can be no question about our ready made goods department being the leading one in Lima. Progressive business methods, unlimited capital and a disposition to be satisfied with quick sales and small profits, have made us the leaders in Lima.

Tomorrow we will offer another special lot of bargains in this department.

## Tailor-Made Suits.

One lot of \$20 to \$30 Tailor-Made Suits, all handsome values,

**\$10.00**

## Suit Jackets.

A lot of neat short Jackets, all nicely finished and also of fine Suits,

**\$1.98**

## Swell Net Skirts.

10 \$30 all silk Net Skirts, with silk drop, skirts all worth \$30 and \$25. Peau-de-seize Skirts at

**\$11.75 each**

## Dress Skirt Sale.

One large lot of handsome Dress and Walking Skirts taken from high priced suits,

**\$2.98**

## Fur Scarfs.

We have filled our bargain counter with \$5 Black and Sable colored Scarfs at

**\$1.98**

## Walking Skirts.

Every \$5.00 Walking Skirt \$3.69. Every \$6.50 Walking Skirt \$5.00. Special sale Elderdown Dressing Jackets at

**75 cents**

# Carroll & Cooney.

## THE COLUMBIA Bargain List.



Ladies' Felt. For top Nullifiers, brown or black, \$1 grade.....79c  
Misses' and Children's Rubbers.....25c  
Men's good heavy Arotics.....98c  
Ladies' all wool Leggings.....75c  
Children's all wool Leggings.....50c  
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**Rev. W. M. Curry Will be Formally Installed in His Pastorate Tonight.**

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**Big Engine Here.**

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**Members of the Pastime Pedro Club.**

**At his late home at the corner of East Kibby street, last night, at seven-thirty o'clock, many friends of the venerable James D. Lockwood, assembled to pay their last tribute of respect to the departed. The solemn funeral services were conducted by the Rev. J. J. Swanson, of the Congregational church of this city. The discourse he delivered was impressive and eloquent. Members of the Odd Fellows, and the Ancient Order of United Workmen, of which deceased was a member, attended and participated in the services. The remains were taken to Cincinnati this morning where interment was made in Spring Grove cemetery.**

**Personal.**

**Rev. J. E. Curry, of Cranberry, N. J., is being entertained by his brother, Rev. W. M. Curry, at his home on South Elizabeth street.**

**J. S. Smith, of Broadway, is transacting business in Columbus.**

**Mrs. H. M. Reese, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Ford, on East Eureka street, departed yesterday for her home at St. Louis.**

**Mrs. Scott, of Circular street, was awarded the first prize of twenty-five bars, in the guessing contest conducted by F. E. Harman.**

**Mrs. Anna Davis is home from Kenton, where she was the guest of friends.**

**Frederick Robinson, of Kenton, transacted business here yesterday.**

**James Maxwell, of South Main street, has gone to Sandusky to bring his parents to this city for future residence.**

**Mrs. Oscar Dixon was at McTuffey yesterday, attending the funeral of a relative.**

**Mrs. Mary Lyons, of Kenton, is a guest at J. M. Arndt's, on East Vine street.**

**Edward McNulty, of Sandusky, is spending a few days with friends on South Main street.**

**Raymond Nolan has returned to his home at Kenton, after a brief visit with friends in this city.**

**Mrs. W. G. Murray, of West Eureka street, returned last night from a business mission to Toledo.**

**Harry Johnson, of Dunkirk, visited with Lima friends today.**

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**And Responded to the Call of the Master.**

**Henry Oen, of Hume, Died at the Home of His Daughter, Mrs. Charles Truesdale, This Morning.**

**Mr. Henry Oen, who resides one-half mile west of Hume, passed into eternal rest this morning at 1:30 o'clock, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Truesdale, 1114 West North street. Surrounded by his children and friends he answered the last summons peacefully at the age of 78 years. His trouble was sticosis. Mr. Oen was an old and highly respected pioneer of Allen county, having come from Harsburg, Hanover, Germany, in the year 1840, and settled on the farm on which the family still resides. He reared a family of seventeen children, of whom Mr. Fred Oen, Mrs. Chas. Truesdale, Mrs. James Boop, Mrs. John Patrick and Frank Truesdale, live in Lima.**

**Three weeks ago he came to Lima to visit and was never able to return. His wife and children were called a week ago and have since watched at his bedside, administering every possible relief, but to no avail, as the Lord had called him.**

**Mr. Oen's remains will be at the home of Mrs. Truesdale (1114 Thursday noon at which time they will be removed to his home at Hume. Interment will be made in St. Joseph's cemetery at Wapakoneta.**

**A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure in time. H. F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.**

**How He Felt About It.**

**"I wish I could give up work and take a long rest."**

**"You'd do it if you could, would you?"**

**"Well, I'm not sure I'd do it if I could. It's one of those things you'd like to do when you can't."—Brooklyn Life.**

**It is agreed by medical authorities that the virulence of an epidemic may be increased by the element of fear in the public mind.**

**Eczema, scald head, hives, itchingness of the skin of any sort instantly relieved, permanently cured. Doan's Ointment. At any drug store.**

**THE STAGE.**

**This evening at the Faurot opera house, Miss Rebecca Warren, supported by a capable company, will appear in Frank Burt's elaborate scenic revival of the famous "East Lynne". Many years have elapsed since the play has been given a careful and proper setting, and the revival as furnished by Mr. Burt, has proven one of the events of the present season. Every detail of scenery, effects, costumes and accessories has been carried out in a most elaborate manner and it is promised that the production will in every way be a credit to this play, which has become a classic on the English speaking stage.**

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**O. E. S.**

**A special meeting of Trinity chapter No. 16, O. E. S. this evening Dec. 3rd, for initiation of candidates at 7:30 o'clock. Visiting members welcomed.**

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The favoring men of the state will not meet with enthusiasm the decision handed down by the supreme court of Ohio that the eight-hour law is unconstitutional. The decision was in the case of the city of Cleveland vs. Clements Bros.

The tax code carpenters paid so much attention to the political features of the new code that they left the school laws of the state in the most chaotic condition in none of the cities of Ohio can anyone tell how the boards are to be created and there will be doubt as to validity of bonds issued by a board, the authority of whose existence is questioned.

While Senator Hanna is in Washington, telling us admiringly that he is a prompt candidate for a second term in the United States Senate and will not push aside the offer of chairman of the Republican national committee there is a revolt against him in Ohio, and Senator Patterson, of Pike county, has the temerity to assert that Hanna's attempt to sidetrack Gen. Dick give the nomination for Governor to Marvin T. Herrick, will not be permitted. It is a cinch, however, that when Marcus hears of the Pike county stateman's brave talk, he will crack his whip and that worthy who talks

## FATALITY ON WESTERN OHIO.

### Deaf Mute Struck by a Car on the Line North of Cridersville.

### Victim Came Here Recently from Van Wert and was Employed as a Section Workman on the Road.

A deplorable accident that resulted fatally to an employe of the Western Ohio interurban railway, occurred on that road about half a mile north of Cridersville, yesterday. The victim was John Heavilin, a laborer who recently secured employment on the road as a section hand. He was struck by a car while walking along the track and was hurled quite a distance, sustaining injuries from which death resulted at an early hour this morning.

Heavilin, the victim of the accident was a deaf mute, and as he had been in this vicinity but a short time, very little was known concerning him at the time of the accident. He was employed on a force of track men under foreman McDonald, and at the time of the accident was walking along the track some distance from the other workmen. The car that left this city at 11 o'clock approached him at a rapid rate of speed, and the motorman sounded the whistle repeatedly, supposing that the man could hear and that he would step aside. Finally, seeing that the man was no longer there

motorman shut off the power and applied the air brakes but too late to prevent the accident. Heavilin was hit by the car with great force and was hurled a considerable distance from the track. He was unconscious when picked up and was taken to Cridersville, where he was attended by a physician. His right leg was fractured and he sustained serious internal injuries. He was brought to this city last evening and was taken to the city hospital, where he died at 1.05 o'clock this morning, without having regained consciousness.

The remains of the unfortunate mute were taken to the undertaking parlors of Jones & Williams, where this morning, they were seen by a number of callers. One deaf mute, who viewed the remains, said that he knew the victim, and that his home had been at Van Wert. Another person telephoned the information that the victim was from Van Wert and that his mother, Mrs. Mary Heavilin, resided there. Telegrams were sent to Van Wert to inform the deceased's relatives of the fatality.

of "standing pat" for Dick will conclude it is expedient to stand where the big boss tells him to.

### A Nourishing Drink.

The whites of raw eggs are very nourishing. A good way to prepare the drink, according to one who knows, is to break the white into a jar with what milk is desired and shake the two thoroughly together. A pinch of salt should be added. An English specialist recommends to adult patients suffering from anemic condition the daily consumption of eight or ten egg whites. They can be taken clear and with ease if the eggs are kept very cold, broken into a cold glass and used at once. Another excellent drink is made by beating the white of an egg to a froth and adding a tablespoonful of rich cream and a spoonful of brandy. This is a very nourishing cordial for an invalid.

### Economical.

Farmer Skinfint (reading sign): "Eyesight Tested Free of Charge." Gracious! Mandy, in I go an' find out if it's hurtin' my eyesight tew read the paper.

Mandy:—An' if it is are yew goin' tew squander good money on spectacles?

Farmer Skinfint:—No; I'm goin' tew give up the paper.

### Gold Only For Royalty.

It is a notable fact that in Abyssinia none but those who are related to the monarch is permitted to wear gold in any form. They may deck themselves

with diamonds and other precious stones, but the jewels must not be set in gold. The penalty for infringement of this law is death by decapitation.

### Thanked.

She:—Yes, I told you I'd always be a sister to you, and I'll be glad to hear anything you have to say to me.

He:—Six months ago you told me I'd thank you some day for refusing me. Let me do so at once. You can't hold a candle to the girl I'm engaged to now.

### His Embittered Existence.

Checks:—You're the sourest, worst tempered man in town.

Black:—Well, son see, I live next door to a public school.—Chicago News.

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The Balm does not irritate or cause sneezing. Sold by druggists at 50 cts., or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren St., New York.

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### The Block to Two New Laws

### By Declaring

### Both of Them to be Unconstitutional.

### County Clerks Cannot Hold Over the Period Extended by the Legislature

### But Will Have to Vacate at the Close of Their Original Term—A Blow Dealt to the Eight-hour Labor Law.

The Supreme Court knocked the head and bottom out of two important measures passed by the last legislature, and declared them unconstitutional. One in particular is of local interest as it creates a new situation in the county clerk's office and will bring about a change six months sooner than was expected. If the law had prevailed, Mr. Sullivan's term would have continued until a year from the first of January, but the extension was knocked out, and the present incumbent will give way to his successor. Mr. Edwards on the first of next August. The following special from Columbus explains the situation.

Columbus, O., Dec. 3.—The supreme court, today gave a judgment ousting Alva A. Hall, clerk of Guernsey Co., from office, and inducing his successor, elected a year ago last month. The court holds that the act of the legislature, extending the terms of county clerks from August to January, is void so far as it applies to present incumbents.

The case will be reported, and it will be developed whether the entire law is knocked out or whether only present incumbents shall be prevented from taking the extended term.

The decision means that all county

clerks whose terms expired, last August, under the old law, but who have held on since then under the extension act, will have to pay over all salary or fees drawn since August to the successor.

The court holds that when the people, in 1901, elected a clerk to take office in August, 1902, the legislature had no power, after such election, to change the time for the new clerk to take office.

The other law, repealed by the supreme court, deals with the eight-hour work day which was passed April 18, 1900. The judges declared it to be unconstitutional. The decision was rendered in the case in which the city of Cleveland attempted to deduct \$329 from the amount due the Clements Bros. Construction company for the construction of the Wellington avenue sewer. This was sought to be done under the act providing for a penalty of \$10 on contractors for compelling workmen to work more than eight hours per day.

### SPECIAL LOW PRICES ON MONTE CARLOS AND JACKETS AT FELTZ THIS WEEK.

## KNIGHTS

### Of Columbus Elected Officers Last Evening.

Lima Council No. 476 Knights of Columbus, at their regular meeting last night, elected the following excellent corps of officers for the ensuing year: Chaplain, Rev. A. E. Manning; Grand Knight John S. O'Connor; Deputy Grand Knight Joseph M. Madigan; Chancellor James E. Sullivan; Financial Secretary Frank J. Schwartz; Recorder Frank A. Lony; Treasurer James L. Henry; Lecturer John H. Lony; Warden W. H. Mattingly; Inside Guard John M. Burns; Outside Guard The Phalanx; Trustees D. J. O'Day, W. H. Duffield and John Finley. D. W. Regan was re-elected as scribe.

### NEW FADS IN JUVENILE SUITS AT MICHAEL'S.

K. OF P.

There will be an important meeting of the K. of P. tonight, nomination and election of officers. All are requested to attend.

J. D. ARMSTRONG, C. C.

## HAPPY AND HEALTHY.

### A Beautiful Canadian Girl Saved From Catarrh of the Lungs by Pe-ru-na.



MISS FLORENCE KENAH.

Miss Florence E. Kenah, 434 Maria street, Ottawa, Ont., writes: "A few months ago I caught a severe cold, which settled on my lungs and remained there so persistently that I became alarmed. I took medicine without benefit, until my digestive organs became upset, and my head and back began to ache severely and frequently. I was advised to try Peruna, and although I had little faith I felt so sick that I was ready to try anything. It brought me blessed relief at once, and I felt that I had the right medicine at last. Within three weeks I was completely restored and have enjoyed perfect health since."

"I now have the greatest faith in Peruna." F. E. KENAH.

WOMEN should beware of contracting catarrh. The cold wind and rain, sleet and mud of winter are especially conducive to catarrhal derangements. Few women escape.

Upon the first symptoms of catching cold Peruna should be taken. It fortifies the system against colds and catarrh.

The following letter gives one young woman's experience with Peruna:

Miss Rose Gerbing is a popular society woman of Crown Point, Ind., and she writes the following: "Recently I took a long drive in the country, and being too thinly clad I caught a bad cold which settled on my lungs, and which I could not seem to shake off. I had heard a great deal of Peruna for colds and catarrh and I, The Hartman-Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

If you do not derive prompt and satisfactory results from the use of Peruna, write at once to Dr. Hartman, giving a full statement of your case and he will be pleased to give you his valuable advice gratis. Address Dr. Hartman, President of Peruna for colds and catarrh and I, The Hartman-Sanitarium, Columbus, O.

## Advance Sale of Christmas Furs at a Discount of 10 Per Cent.

This sale should be of special interest to Gentlemen who desire to make a nice gift to Mother, Wife, Sweetheart or Sister. A nice Fur stands at the head of coveted gifts, and here is an opportunity to select from the best Fur stock at a saving in price.

Every Fur Scarf. A great collection here ranging in price from \$1.50 to \$40.  
Every Muff. Prices \$1.50 to \$17.50.  
Every Collarette and Storm Collar.  
Every Children's Fur Set. Prices 98c to \$7.50.

ALL AT A DISCOUNT OF 10 PER CENT FOR THIS WEEK just as an inducement for you to buy ahead of the few days before Christmas rush.

Fellmann & Co.

200 211 N. Main Street.

"A FAIR FACE MAY PROVE A FOUL GAIN." MARRY A PLAIN GIRL IF SHE USES

## SAPOLIO

### THE SALE OF THE BLACK & MEYER

## High Grade Clothing

Still continues at The Mammoth and multitudes of people are being pleased every day.

Don't neglect to investigate the assertions we make, particularly that of saving you a handsome difference in the price to what you would pay elsewhere, notwithstanding the fact that every garment sold is warranted strictly high grade. We are selling an unusual great number of fine Overcoats for Men, Boys and Children at a saving that is visible to the naked eye.

## HOLIDAY GIFTS.

We are prepared to show an abundant assortment of Holiday Presents for Men's wear. Smoking Jackets at extraordinary low prices. Bath Robes, Umbrellas, Suit Cases. No charge for sight-seeing, and no offense if you don't buy.

## The Mammoth.

## MRS. F. LIGHT,

134 North Main St.



Let's Get Them Together.

### Don't Delay Slipper Purchases.

Our SLIPPER STOCK at present time is brimming over with choice styles.

## THE COLUMBIA,

Value Every Time.

Black Block.



## SPECIAL RUG SALE THURSDAY. RARE BARGAINS.

In our north window, we display some very new and artistic rugs, made in Japan, in beautiful back ground and strong contrast colors in striking relief. They are exact reproductions of fine Persian rugs, that cost hundreds of dollars each. An appropriate Christmas gift at small price. Size of Rug 3x6, worth \$3.50.

**SPECIAL THURSDAY ONLY  
\$1.85.**

### Neuman & Kettler Furn. Co

Your cash will go farther with us than any other store in the city.

We will open a credit account with you.

## PRIZES

Won at the Grand Opening of

**F. E. Harman**

On Guesses as to the Size of the Crowd.

Mrs. Scott, of Circular Street Came Nearest the Exact Number, 1419.

So Passes Into History One of the Most Successful Openings Ever Attempted for the Pleasure of the Lima People.

The unfortunate appearance of bad weather prevented a great number of people from attending the opening at Harman's yesterday, but as it was the first of the kind, the number of people who came was a record. The number of people who came was a record. The number of people who came was a record.

Despite the plain explanation given by Mr. Harman in his advertisement, were under the impression that they must pay the sum of 1 cent in order to register.

The proceeds from the automatic rings were in the neighborhood of \$4 which will be given to the Lima hospital.

The library will receive close onto \$1000 as its share of the benevolent idea to raise money for one of the worthiest of causes.

It is estimated that fully 4000 people attended the opening and all were highly pleased and entertained.

The correct number of people who registered at the opening Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 1st and 2nd, was 1419.

The nearest to the correct number was Mrs. Scott, 177 Circular street, who gets the first prize of \$25. The next five nearest guesses to the correct number were: Amelia Wilson, 206 south Cole street; E. B. Wilson, 206 south Cole street; H. C. Bell, 502 west High street; Mrs. R. O. Woods, Lima, O.; Miss Gertrude Seals, Lima, O. Each of these got a prize of \$5.00.

The next nearest guesses to the correct number were: Mrs. W. White, 206 west Wayne street; Miss Ollie Dobbins, 120 west Spring street; Mrs. E. E. Willower, 527 east High street; Cliff Hurst, 1030 west High street; Arnold G. Maus, 516 Second street; Beasie Cassidy, 457 north West street; R. O. Woods, Lima, O.; Geo. J. Vorkamp, Lima, O.; Miss Beasie Kileman, 216 north Main street; A. F. Cassidy, 457 north West street. Each of these above got a prize of \$2.00.

The next twenty guesses nearest to the correct number were: Mrs. C. Reese, 677 south Union street; Miriam Nelson, 135 west Wayne street; O. W. Mark, Vaghsaville, O.; Mrs. Jas.

H. Johnson, 402 east Kibby street; Mrs. W. W. Carlin, 931 west Market street; Jalcie Haage, 430 Park avenue; A. D. Reese, 163 north McDonald; Olive Montgomery, 133 west Wayne street; R. W. Melly, 329 north W. 4 street; Mrs. E. H. Paulus, 125 south Main street; Alice B. Stucky, 603 south Union street; Mrs. J. R. Harbottle, 421 east Pearl street; Mrs. R. W. Thirp, 118 north Baxter street; Mrs. M. F. Seals, 724 west Market; Mrs. Alice Farrell, Lima, O.; Mrs. E. H. Focke, 808 east High street; Mrs. Lina Rissch, 219 south Pine street; O. H. Copeland, south Elizabeth street; Mrs. Mava Whitman, 110 floor B. 10000. Each of these got a prize of \$1.00.

**LIMA BOY**  
Will be Married at Oakland, Cal., Next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Zimmerman of this city, today received the following invitation: Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Porterfield request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter

Winifred to

Mr. William M. Zimmerman, Wednesday afternoon the tenth day of December, nineteen hundred and two at Four O'clock

Fourteen Hundred and Twelve

Castro Place

Oakland, California

The groom-elect is the only son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Zimmermann. He went to California about three years ago, and took a position with the National Supply company, at Bakersfield. After he had been stationed at that point for a time, he was transferred to Oakland, where he was tendered an excellent position as manager of the Midway Oil company, with whom he is at present connected.

His many friends in this community join in felicitating the young man upon the good fortune which has attended him since he landed upon the hospitable soil of California.

**PROMINENT PEOPLE.**  
Testify to the Efficacy of the New Scientific Dandruff Treatment.

A. E. Lanier, Denver, says: "Herpicide has made my hair grow rapidly."

Mrs. A. Guerin, Great Falls, Mont., says: "I find Herpicide an excellent dandruff cure."

H. Greenland, Portland, Ore., says: "Newbro's Herpicide stopped my hair falling out."

J. D. Israel, Dayton, Wash., says: "Herpicide has completely cured my dandruff."

Charles Brown, president First National Bank, Vancouver, Wash., says: "Herpicide is excellent for keeping the scalp clean."

Send 10 cents in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, druggist.

## ALMACK'S OF LONDON.

A Famous Woman's Club of a Century or So Ago.

About a century ago the seventh heaven of the fashionable world of London was a club known as Almack's, of which the patronesses were Lady Castlereagh, Lady Jersey, Lady Cowper (afterward Lady Palmerston), Lady Sefton, Mrs. Drummond Barrall (afterward Lady Walsingham), the Princess Esterhazy and the Countess. Eleven of their smiles or frowns consigned men and women to happiness or despair. It is hard for us to conceive the importance which was attached to getting admission to Almack's. Of the 500 officers of the foot guards not more than half a dozen were honored with cards to this temple of the benevolence. The government was a pure despotism, as every government by women is bound to be, and a host of innocents was set on fire to get an invitation. Very often persons of rank who had the entire anywhere were excluded from the club. Such as were admitted had to dress in conformity with the edict of the tyrants, no gentleman being allowed to appear at the assemblies except in knee breeches, white cravat and crush hat. On one occasion the Duke of Wellington was about to ascend the stairs to the ballroom dressed in black trousers when the guardian of the establishment stepped forward and said, "Your grace cannot be admitted in trousers," whereupon the duke, who had a great respect for orders, quietly walked away.—New York Press.

## A Pan That Failed.

At a public dinner a careless waiter stumbled when bringing in a boiled tongue. The tongue slipped over the edge of the dish upon the tablecloth.

"Never mind," said the chairman cheerfully, "it's only a lapsus linguae" (slip of the tongue).

The joke was received with a burst of laughter. A gentleman present, who had no knowledge of Latin, yet saw what humorous merit it contained, secretly determined that he would repeat the whole performance at his next little dinner party at home and give his guests a great laugh at his wit.

The occasion arrived. There was to be a leg of mutton, and the host had instructed the waiter to let it fall when coming in. The waiter did so, to the great dismay of the guests.

"Oh, never mind," cried the host cheerfully, "it's only a lapsus linguae."

To his great disgust and astonishment, however, nobody seemed to see it, and now he is suspicious that something must have gone wrong somewhere.—Pearson's.

**Appealed to the Powers.**  
The late Joseph Medill, editor of the Chicago Tribune, besides being an indefatigable editor, had a decided vein of humor in his composition.

During the last years of his life, as his strength permitted, he watched over his paper as zealously as in his younger days, and it was his custom to scan the columns of certain favorite exchanges and clip from them extensively, marking them on the margins, "J. M.—Must," meaning that the extracts must go in. It was one of his great griefs that there was not always room for all of them, even when columns of live editorial matter had been crowded out, as they were sometimes, to make room for them.

One night he went up to the room of the night editor with a bundle of clippings in his hand.

"Mr. Hanson," he said to that official, with a twinkle in his eye, "I wish you would use your influence to have these printed in the paper tomorrow morning."—Youth's Companion.

**"LITTLE TYCOON" SEAT SALE**  
TOMORROW 9 A. M.

## White Goods Special

New lot of fine White Mercerized Damask for walsis, very choice styles, 39c and 50c the yard.

## Percale Special.

Special lot yard wide fine Percales, not the choicest patterns ever shown but excellent quality, regular price 12½c, for this holiday Clearing Sale, 7c the yard.

## Flannelette Special.

50 pieces fine 35 inch Eclipse Flannelettes, all excellent patterns, never sold for less than 15c, marked for this Holiday Clearing Sale at 9½c the yard.

## Gingham Special.

One lot of fine Scotch Plaid Gingham, dark colors, regular value 12 1-2c, for this three days Holiday Clearing Sale at 7 1-2c the yard.

## Underwear Special.

Cold Facts About Warm Clothes At Red Hot Prices. This Underwear Must Go During This Three Days Holiday Clearing Sale.

Small lot men's natural gray Undershirts (no drawers) that are soiled, yet quite nicely soiled, but they're warm and will wash, regular price was 2½c and 50c, this Clearing Sale price is 10c each.

Children's Eru and natural gray ribbed union suits, small and medium size regular price 25c, for this Clearing Sale at 15c each.

Special lot ladies' nil wool Scarlet Vests and Pants splendid quality, worth \$1.00 and \$1.25, for this 3 days Clearance Sale at 75c each.

Boys' heavy natural gray ribbed union Suits equal to many offered at \$1.00, this Holiday Clearing Sales', price 80c each.

Children's heavy fleece lined vests and pants, very warm excellent quality, special at 25c and 35c each.

Boys' heavy fleece lined Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, worth 39c at 25c each.

## Embroidery Special.

Special Lot Of Wide And Narrow Hamburg Embroidery, Very Desirable Patterns; Regular Value 10c; Special Price For This Sale 5c A Yard.

## Dress Goods Special.

This Department Must Be Condensed To Make Room For Holiday Stock And These Prices Will Dispose Of Large Quantities.

50 much heavy woolen suitings, three excellent colors, regular price \$1.00, for this Clearing Sale at 60c the yard.

50 much all wool covert suitings, regular price 75c, Holiday Clearing Sale price, 59c the yard.

47 much heavy all wool suitings, desirable dark colors, regular price 50c at 45c the yard.

Han'some imported all wool challe, all good styles, regular price 60c, for this Holiday Clearing Sale at 2 c the yard.

Very stylish Suitings Hair Mixtures and twine melange in new and desirable colorings, regular value \$1.50, marked for this 3 days Holiday Clearing Sale at 98c the yard.

Very choice light color, all wool and silk and wool wabstings, hand-ome patterns, regular price 89c, for this Clearing Sale at 69c the yard.

Special lot fine wool Dress Goods consisting of Granite, Serge, Mohair, Cashmere, Shark-Skin all in a variety of choice colorings, regular value \$1.00 and \$1.25, for this Holiday Clearing Sale at 75c the yard.

## Glove Special.

The Echo of Economy Rings Throughout All Departments and is a Warning of Economy and Saving to All Who Hear It—Substantial Savings in the Glove Department.

Fine Glove Kid Gloves, all shades of brown, tan, mode and slate, regular value \$1.00, sale price 59c the pair.

Extra quality ladies' silk lined Gloves, colors and black, worth \$1.25, at 79c the pair.

Special lot ladies' and children's wool Golf Gloves, blue, black and brown, regular price 25c, at 19c the pair.

100 dozen ladies' fine wool Golf Gloves, plain and fancy colors, special value at 50c the pair.

Children's fancy and plain color Golf Gloves, regular value 25c, sale price 15c the pair.

## Blanket Special.

Suggest. Healthiest Blankets—Prices Most Helpful—The Best Blankets in the Wide World Are Gathered Here for Your Benefit and Offered now at Ridiculously Low Prices.

Extra heavy 11-4 Cotton Blankets, white or gray, \$1.00 the pair.

Extra large size fancy Mottled Blankets, brown or blue, worth \$1.50, sale at 90c the pair.

One lot handsome Wool Robe Blankets, very choice colors and patterns, large size, excellent for bath or lounging robe, regular price \$3.00, sale price \$1.90 each.

White Cotton Blankets for single beds, excellent value at 41c the pair.

10 4 white and gray Cotton Blankets, at 60c the pair.

Extra heavy white and gray 10-4 Cotton Blankets at 75c the pair.

Large 11 4 size gray or white Cotton Blankets, worth \$1.00, sale price, 69c the pair.

Fancy Cotton Blankets, 10 4 size, stripes and checks, exceptional value at 89c the pair.

233-235 NORTH MAIN STREET.

## Buy Them Now While They Are Cheap

Only 9 more unsold lots in the Brie 2nd edition. These lots are right in the heart of the manufacturing district and are bound to enhance in value. The Lima Locomotive and Machine Co., are now moving in their new plant, which means nearly 600 families to be added to the south side. You can buy them now on terms of \$10 cash and \$5 per month, without interest and all taxes paid or 5 per cent discount for cash.

**JOHN M. MOOSE, Agent.**  
201 Black Block.

The Ladies Aid Society of First U. B. church, will meet Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Bryan, 413 Prospect avenue. All members please be present.

**"LITTLE TYCOON" HOSPITAL BENEFIT, SEAT SALE DEC. 4, 9:00 O'CLOCK A. M.**

**BOYS' AND GIRLS' HOLIDAY HOUSE STYLES AT 29 CENTS. THIS WEEK ONLY AT MICHAEL'S.**

The Union Clothing and Shoe Co. offer their entire stock of Holiday Neekwear and Mufflers at 25 and 35 per cent discount.

## "LITTLE TYCOON" SEAT SALE

TOMORROW 9 A. M.

WANTS, FOR RENT, LOST.

FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED.

WANTED—Boy about 18 years of age to work in bottling works inquire at 732 north Main street. 3-3t

WANTED—Two good seamstresses experienced hands in finishing dresses. Inquire at 31 Metropolitan block. 43-3t

WANTED—Girl to do housework; family of three, 233 west Kibby 1t

HELP WANTED—Female help wanted in the kitchen. Apply to the office Hotel Cambridge. 42-4t

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Barn between Haller and McKibben streets. Inquire at 609 north Elizabeth street. 41-3t

FOR SALE—Or exchange, over 100 farms and some city property; all at reasonable rates. Call on or write, J. A. Newell, Lima, Ohio. 3-3t



**HOSTETTER'S**  
CELEBRATED  
**STOMACH BITTERS**

Good digestion is essential to good health. A lack of the proper balance of the elements will result in various ailments. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters will cure all ailments of the stomach and bowels. It is a perfect remedy for indigestion, constipation, biliousness, and all ailments of the stomach and bowels. It is a perfect remedy for indigestion, constipation, biliousness, and all ailments of the stomach and bowels. It is a perfect remedy for indigestion, constipation, biliousness, and all ailments of the stomach and bowels.

**THE TURKISH WOMAN.**  
Her Friday Excursions on the Sweet Waters of Asia.

Friday is the only day on which Turkish women enjoy a little liberty and release from the dreadful seclusion in which they are always kept, and they are not slow to avail themselves of the chance. On Fridays every one goes to the Sweet Waters of Asia, which consist of a small river running about two miles inland, with trees and meadows on each side. Hundreds of boats assemble and glide up and down the river. Every boat or clique has two or more Turkish ladies on board. The sight is a very fine one, as each private clipe is most carefully got up, and the boatmen wear brilliant uniforms to attract the attention and the long embroidered shawl which hangs over the stern and is in the water. The khadiwan of Egypt is one of the finest in the world and gold, surrounded with jewels and pearls. Beside the river is the palace, a most beautiful show, and here may be seen all the latest Turkish costumes. The ladies must not speak to men, but the curiosity is never satisfied. A catch sight of a well-dressed or other second given women, a particular look is passing, and a hundred eyes are turned out boats which are sometimes close to each other. It is a very innocent diversion and would not satisfy western ladies. An hour before sunset the police boats appear and force all women to leave.—London Telegraph.

**COST**  
Doesn't Cut Any Figure  
And the Best

Is None to Good for the Pennsylvania.

General Fall House-cleaning Has Put the Line in Elegant Shape

And Business is So Great That Scores of Locomotives are Being Borrowed from Any Line that Has Them to Spare.

The physical condition of the Pennsylvania has never been better than at this writing. Toward the latter part of October, what could be called general house-cleaning of the road, was started. There have been many new ties placed, the tracks straightened, and new ballast put in. It is quite interesting to note how the solid rock ballast is formed of the ballast. The work is done by the stone and then it is spread over the ties, the balance being thrown between the tracks. The small stones are worked in under the ties. A track hand will pick up a piece of ballast, stand it in a certain position and with the blunt end of his pick, made purposely for this class of work, wedge it in. This is done the whole length of the tie, and when completed makes a solid foundation. The ballast toward the outside of the track is sloped at a certain angle, thus giving the line a very neat appearance. The tracks have all been cleaned and kept as spick span as the tracks. Anything in the way of papers, lamps of coal from passing trains, or any other debris is quickly removed and taken away by the work train.

A well constructed roadbed, especially for the reason that the cars ride easier and better time can be made. It stands to reason that no matter how good the equipment is, if the roadbed is rough and not properly taken care of, there will always be "jolting and jarring."

**Renting Many Engines.**  
Advices from Pittsburg say that the Pennsylvania lines west of Pittsburg are in the market for borrowing locomotives. A contract has just been closed with the United States Steel corporation whereby the motive power of the Duluth and Iron Range railroad will be transferred to the lines west after the close of navigation. Negotiations are also on with a number of other ore carrying railroads for the use of their engines during the winter. In addition to this the lines west are

**Better Than a Plaster.**  
A piece of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the affected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain balm has no equal as a liniment for the relief of deep seated muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

**Report from the Reform School.**  
J. G. Glavin, superintendent, Punishment, W. Va., writes: "After trying all other advertised cough medicines, we have decided to use Foley's Honey and Tar exclusively in the West Virginia Reform school. I find it the most effective and absolutely harmless."

**LOOK OUT FOR CATARRH**

When the cold wave flag is up, freezing weather is on the way. Winter is here in earnest, and with it all the miserable symptoms of Catarrh return—blinding headaches and neuralgia, thick mucous discharges from the nose and throat, a hacking cough and pain in the chest, bad taste in the mouth, fetid breath, nausea and all that makes Catarrh the most sickening and disgusting of all complaints. It causes a feeling of personal defilement and mortification that keeps one nervous and anxious while in the company of others.

In spite of all efforts to prevent it, the filthy secretions and mucous matter find their way into the stomach and are distributed by the blood to every nook and corner of the system; the stomach and kidneys, in fact every organ and part of the body, become infected with the catarrhal poison. This disease is rarely, if ever, even in its earliest stages, a purely local disease or simple inflammation of the nose and throat, and this is why sprays, washes, powders and the various inhaling mixtures fail to cure. Heredity is sometimes back of it—parents have it and so do their children.

In the treatment of Catarrh, anti-septic and soothing washes are good for cleansing purposes or clearing the head and throat, but this is the extent of their usefulness. To cure Catarrh permanently, the blood must be purified and the system relieved of its load of foul secretions, and the remedy to accomplish this is S. S. S. which has no equal as a blood purifier. It restores the blood to a natural, healthy state and the catarrhal poison and effete matter are carried out of the system through the proper channels. S. S. S. restores to the blood all its good qualities, and when rich, pure blood reaches the inflamed parts, the disease is cured. S. S. S. is a vegetable remedy and contains nothing that could injure the most delicate constitution. It cures Catarrh in its most aggravated forms, and is apparently incurable and hopeless. Write us if you have Catarrh, and our physicians will advise you without charge.

THE SUIFF SPEDITS CO., ATLANTA, GA.

**Nasal CATARRH**  
In all its stages there should be cleanliness.  
Kry's Cream Balm cleanses, soothes and relieves the inflamed membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.  
Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail: Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.  
KRY BROTHERS, 24 Warren Street, New York.

borrowing every Sunday and on holidays anywhere from 20 to 40 engines from western lines at Chicago and connecting roads. A number of Mexican Central engines are now being used by the Ft. Wayne and Panhandle. The rental being paid for these engines shows the great demand for rolling stock. The Mexican Central is now being converted from a narrow to a standard gauge road. It has ordered 17 American freight engines, about 12 of which have been built. The Mexican Central, however, will not be ready to use the machines until April. The Pennsylvania lines heard of this and immediately offered to rent them for several months. The average price for the rental of an engine is about \$10 per day. So anxious was the Pennsylvania to get these locomotives that it offered and is paying three times that much per day for every engine.

**Western Ohio Grade.**  
A dispatch from Wapakoneta says: "The grade work for the main line of the Western Ohio between this city and Sidney is about completed, and next week the work of laying ties and rails will be started. Between Piqua and Sidney the track is nearly all in place and that portion of the line is now being ballasted. Under the most favorable circumstances the line will be opened for traffic before next spring."

**Where Next?**  
Des Moines, Ia., Dec. 3.—As the completion of the Des Moines, Iowa Falls and Northern between this city and Iron Falls approached, public interest is turning to the intentions of the company relative to the construction of the line northeast from the last-named point. It has been planned to build an extension to connect with some through line running to St. Paul and Minneapolis or to build an independent line to the Twin cities. It is figured that if either the Chicago Great Western or the St. Paul should secure control of the road it would offer a shorter cut for the business of either of these lines to Des Moines and thence south to Kansas City for a western and southern outlet and eventually become a link in a short line between the Twin Cities and Kansas City.

**Lake Shore Conductor Killed.**  
Richard Paddock, one of the best known passenger conductors on the Lake Shore railroad, was instantly killed by the cars at Perry, O., 35 miles east of Cleveland, early Monday. The remains were taken to Ashtabula. Paddock was in charge of the west-bound Lake Shore limited at the time of his death. He was struck by another Lake Shore train. Paddock had been with the Lake Shore 41 years.

**Col. J. C. Winans Selected.**  
Col. J. C. Winans, District Passenger Agent of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton Railroad company, with headquarters at Ft. Wayne, Ind., has been appointed chief of staff to General Stewart, Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic. Colonel Winans has held this position for a number of years and has filled successfully that each commander has chosen him as his chief.

**Confiscating Coal.**  
In order to keep business going to the full limit of their motive power, the Pennsylvania and the Wabash roads are confiscating a big portion of the coal that is being shipped over their lines, yesterday the Pennsylvania confiscated nearly all there was on its lines and the Wabash "gobbled" up a lot of car loads that had been turned over to them by the C. H. & D. Notwithstanding these confiscations, there still exists a serious shortage of coal on both roads. On this account the Wabash is running none but passenger, local and fast freight trains, cutting out all through trains that are classed as "dead freight."

**Five Cars Derailed.**  
Five cars in a Pennsylvania train were derailed last night about midway between Upper Sandusky and Nevada, Ohio. While these cars were not very badly broken up, they were placed in such a position that they blocked the main tracks and traffic at that point was interrupted several hours. Passenger trains 2, 8, 15, 24, 25, and 5 were delayed by the accident.

**Tour of Inspection.**  
The high officials of the C. H. & D. and the division superintendents are going over the lines of the system inspecting its condition and today are on the Tangent lines between Findlay and Ft. Wayne.

**CASTORIA.**  
The Kid You Never Forget  
Beware the Signature  
Chas. H. Pictor

**DO NOT BE FOOLED.**  
Take the genuine, original ROCKY MOUNTAIN TEA  
Made only by Madison Medicine Co., Madison, Wis. It keeps you well. Your train mark out on each package. Price, 25 cents. Never sold at a lower price. Beware of cheap imitations. Ask your druggist.

**A TRIBUTE.**  
A loving tribute to Mrs. J. B. Leasure, who died at Hackett, Ark., November 3rd, 1902.  
Darling mother, she has left us; Left us, yes, forever more.  
But we hope to meet our loved one On that bright and happy shore.  
There was an angel band in heaven That was not quite complete.  
So God took our darling mother To fill the vacant seat.  
Her gentle voice now is hushed.  
Her warm, true heart is still.  
And on her fair and lovely brow, Is resting death's cold chill.  
Her hands are clasped upon her breast,  
We have kissed her lovely brow,  
And in our aching hearts we know We have no mother now.  
By Mrs. Leefe Fuller.  
We wish to again thank the kind friends and the Rebeccas for their kind and solicitous attentions, and also for beautiful flowers.  
MR. J. B. AND W. A. LEASURE, MR. AND MRS. H. C. FULLER.

**A Timely Topic.**  
A. this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. At F. Vorkamp, corner Main and North streets.

**HOMESEEKERS EXCURSION.**  
The Erie railroad will sell cheap round trip tickets on Nov. 18th, Dec. 2nd and 16th to various points in Arizona, Arkansas, Kansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Oklahoma, Iowa, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Virginia, Nebraska, Wyoming, Alabama, Georgia, Louisiana, Mississippi and North Carolina. Cheap one way "Colonist" tickets will be sold on above dates to points in Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Nebraska, Indian Territory and New Mexico. For full information, call on Erie, or write, nov10to Jan1 Erie R. R. Marion, O. W. S. MORRISON, T. P. A.

**A Million Voices.**  
Could hardly express the thanks of Homer Hall, of West Point, Ia. Last ten days. A severe cold had settled on his lungs, causing a most obstinate cough. Several physicians said he had consumption, but could not help him. When all thought he was doomed he began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption and writes: "It completely cured me and saved my life. I now weigh 227 lbs." It's positively guaranteed for Coughs, Colds and Lung troubles. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at H. F. Vorkamp's, corner Main and North streets.

**Quick Promotion.**  
"I bear your brother is an assistant bookkeeper."  
"Yes, indeed. And do you know, he proved himself so clever that they've passed him over the first and second assistantships and made him third assistant right off."—New York World.

**Colds Melt Away.**  
If you use Krause's Cold Cure, Prepared in convenient capsule form they are easy to take and effect a speedy cure of the most obstinate cases. Price 25 cents. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

**Tourist—Did you temper justice with mercy when you caught that horse thief?** Broncho III—"Betcher life!" The boys clipped in nearly \$4 for his widdler.

**Foils a Deadly Attack.**  
"My wife was so ill that good physicians were unable to help her," writes M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., "but was completely cured by Dr. King's New Life Pills." They work wonders in stomach and liver troubles. Cure constipation, sick headache. 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner Main and North streets.

**ICE IN YOUR RIVERS**  
Ice Congests and Stops Commerce—So Uric Acid Flakes Rheumatic Pains.

Imagine how your bones would feel if they were bumped and buffeted by a river of floating ice. If you have Rheumatism you know the twinges and spasms of pain in your body. Uric acid is the cause of it—it floats in your blood like ice in a river, clogging and poisoning your entire system. You cannot be freed from Rheumatism until you dispel the Uric acid. Athlephoros will dissolve it, and you will note immediate lessening of pain.

Your entire system will feel better, and if you have had kidney trouble or any organic difficulty you will note a marked improvement at once—one bottle will prove it if it is helping you, and you will find the dollar to be your best investment if Athlephoros works on you as it does on others. If your drugist doesn't keep it send \$1 to The Athlephoros Co., New Haven, Conn. If your case is peculiar, write us about it.

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**Cod Liver Oil**  
and What It Does

Hagee's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil (with Hypophosphites of Lime and Soda) is based on the learning of famous medical men. They discovered that the grease in cod liver oil is only a temporary preservative of its invaluable restorative and reconstructive properties—not necessary to the cure.

By a scientific method devised from this knowledge, known and practiced exclusively in our laboratory, the grease is extracted from cod liver oil leaving only the remedial elements, to which is added a cordial pleasant to taste and smell, making Hagee's Cordial acceptable to the most delicate stomach.

By its revitalizing, reconstructive, corrective principles it cures la grippe, coughs, colds, weak lungs, bronchitis, consumption, catarrhal conditions, nervousness, sleeplessness, indigestion, dyspepsia, mal-assimilation, rheumatism, skin diseases, pimples, blotches, weakened condition following fevers, impoverishment of the blood, and creates more and better flesh. The cure begins with the first doses—quick relief—and permanent results are realized day by day—prevents further disorder by maintaining perfect condition.

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by Katharon Chemical Company, St. Louis, Mo.

**Gold Crowns \$3 and \$4.**  
**Bridge Work \$4.**  
**Set of Teeth \$5.**

**White Crowns \$3.**

**All Work Guaranteed.**

**Dr. Barrington's,**  
Metropolitan Block, Second Floor.

**To Florida**  
From Michigan, Northern Ohio, Etc. Commencing January 7, 1903, The C. H. & D. Ry. and M. C. Ry. will run a through Sleeping Car

**Detroit to St. Augustine, Fla.**  
This car will leave Detroit every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, at 12:35 a. m., passing through Toledo at 2:22 p. m.

At Cincinnati it is attached to The Florida Special on the Queen & Crescent, giving Dining, Sleeping and Library Observation Cars.

Special reduced rates on Round Trip tickets to any Winter Tourist point in the South and to Florida, Nassau and Cuba can be obtained from any Agent of the C. H. & D. and connecting lines, or by writing to D. G. EDWARDS, Passenger Traffic Manager, C. H. & D. Ry., Cincinnati, Ohio.

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**BANNER BALVE**  
The most healing salve in the world.

**LORD PAUNCEFOTE CARMAN,**  
Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Carman, of 367 south Central avenue, Dec. 2, 1902.

**Dr. Blakeley,**  
The Lima Specialist on Diseases of Women, officiating. Dr. Blakeley has three round dozen similar cases dating into March and April, outside of other special engagements.

"Mrs. Calvin Diller, of Bluffton, O., age 34 years, married 10 months and 26 days, died Nov. 20, 1902, three weeks after her confinement, of blood poisoning."—The Bluffton News, Nov. 27, 1902.

Dr. Blakeley did not wait upon this lady. Dr. Blakeley's cases do not develop blood poisoning. Mrs. Carman will not die of blood poisoning.

**WHY?**  
Because Dr. Blakeley will see to it that it does not start. Dr. Blakeley looks after his cases from time of engagement till lady is her normal self again, regardless of visits, time or trouble.

All for fee regularly ask by your family physician for his one single (precious) attention. Dr. Blakeley does not leave a lady helpless!

With those dolefully, dark, delightful (?) words, "If you need me, let me know and I will call" (for another dollar) when it is too late to be of any service.

Dr. Blakeley Knows When to Come. He Comes. He Comes Himself. He Comes Without Calling, when something can be done.

An ounce of preventative is worth a pound of cure. A stitch in time saves nine. No use to look back after horse is stolen.

Ladies, that Dr. Blakeley wait upon send him to their friends. CUT YOUR FAMILY DOCTOR OUT! Does he expect to wait upon you—or your husband's \$10 bill—plus anything?

Which? God bless his DEAR soul! disappoint him Engage Dr. Blakeley who sees you safe—Doesn't run a big bill on you either.

Engagements by 'phone (Old) Main 163, or by letter.



## Miserable Mothers.

## CHILDREN DOGGED OF THEIR BIRTHRIGHT.

The most serious thing in life is maternity. The child who inherits weakness or handicapped for life in the struggle for existence. The weak and sickly mother surely devotes her offspring to misery and misfortune. The romantic idea of marriage is based on love and love alone. The scientific idea of marriage demands sound health as a basis of matrimony. The utter helplessness of love is written in a thousand experiences of young motherhood. The child, the mother would die for, cries in her arms, and she is too weak and worn to comfort it. She can do naught but weep in sympathy.

As surely as the most serious thing in life is maternity so the most necessary

living child. I tell everybody this happy event was due to the help of God and of your medicines. I shall never be without your medicines henceforth and shall never fail in recommending your 'Favorite Prescription.' I have used the medicines which you prescribed with the best results.

"Our hearts are full of gratitude to you for your medicines, which have given us the happiness of having a living child of our own, after so much suffering and disappointment."

"I recommend Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription to all young women who are in the same condition that I was in as one of the best remedies in existence. I have used eight bottles and find myself in perfect health. Accept my best wishes for your welfare to the end of your days."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has been the means of preparing thousands of women for happy motherhood. It prevents or cures nausea, tranquilizes the nerves, encourages the appetite and induces refreshing sleep. It imparts great muscular vigor so that the baby's advent is practically painless. It gives the mother strength to give her child, and is an unrivaled tonic for nursing mothers.

## WOMEN ARE SURPRISED

at the prompt and permanent benefit derived from the use of "Favorite Prescription." Its effects are not transient and temporary, but they conduce to a condition of womanly well-being, which seems often times like a renewal of youth, so marked in its effects and so lasting the vigor which it imparts.

Mrs. Orrin Stiles, of Downing, Dunn Co., Wis., writes: "I have been tending to write to you ever since my baby was born in regard to what you 'Favorite Prescription' has done for me. I cannot praise it enough, for I have not been as well for five years as I now am. In July last I had a baby boy, weight 11 pounds, and was only sick a short time, and since I got up have not had one sick day. I have not had any uterine trouble since I got up. I was not only surprised myself but all my friends here are surprised to see me so well."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription makes weak women strong and sick women well. It corrects irregularity, dries disagreeable humors, heals inflammation and ulceration and cures female weakness.

Thousands of women have been surprised at the cures effected by the patient and persistent use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. This means that cured diseases, which have been tried in vain, have been cured. When doctors have declared a cure was hopeless, and when other medicines had been tried in vain, "Favorite Prescription" has brought about a lasting cure. There is nothing put up medicine specially prepared for women's use which is so wide and wonderful a cure of womanly diseases to its credit.

Sick people, especially those suffering from chronic diseases, are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter free and so obtain without charge the opinion of a specialist on their ailments. All correspondence strictly confidential. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

The dealer who offers a substitute for "Favorite Prescription" does so to gain the little more profit paid on the less meritorious medicines. His profit is your loss, therefore accept no substitute.

## FREE TO WOMEN.

Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. Send 21 one-cent stamps for book in paper covers, or 31 stamps for the cloth bound volume. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

## THE LAWS CONFLICT

## Regarding Warehouse Receipts and the American Association Will Attempt to Find a Remedy.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 3.—The annual convention of the American Warehousemen's association, which began here today and will continue through the rest of the week, will consider many subjects of interest to those engaged in the storage-warehouse and refrigerating business. The association represents a capitalization of over \$50,000,000, with a membership of nearly 100, including all the leading warehouse people of the country.

A committee is on hand from the convention of state commissioners on uniform laws, with a view of obtaining the opinion of the association as to legislation governing the issue of

storage warehouse receipts. The laws governing such receipts are so varied and conflicting that they seriously interfere with the proper conduct of the storage warehouse business. It is urged by the members of the association that the storage warehouse receipts ought to be good collateral, but this is impossible, it is declared, until uniform laws are enacted in all the states.

Another important matter to receive attention at the convention is the subject of fire insurance. The rates fixed by the various tariff associations have been very unsatisfactory, and in many instances the cold storage men have not been able to secure sufficient fire insurance at any price.

## REDUCED FARE

West, Northwest, South and Southwest Via Pennsylvania Lines. Home seekers' excursion tickets will be sold via Pennsylvania lines November 18th, and December 2nd and 16th to points in the west, northwest, south and southwest. For particulars regarding time of trains, etc., apply to ticket agents of Pennsylvania lines 274 & W. C.

## A Timely Suggestion.

This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is certain to be needed before the winter is over, and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the cold is contracted, and before it has become settled in the system. In almost every instance a severe cold may be avoided off by taking this remedy freely as soon as the first indication of the cold appears. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no harmful substance. It is pleasant to take—both adults and children like it. Buy it and you will get the best. It always cures. For sale by Wm. M. McVittie, old post office corner.

## WORKING IN THE DARK.

Discomforts of Mining Before the Day Lamp Was Invented. The difficulties under which coal mining operations were carried on before the invention of the day lamp had been very great. In many times the only alternative the miner had to pitch darkness was the phosphorescent gleam from dried fish. The miner's implements, originally of stone or hard oak, gradually improved, but he was forced to work in almost complete darkness until Sir Humphry Davy by his remarkable invention enabled him to light his way through the tunnels he had excavated with comparative safety.

Agreola, an author who wrote about the middle of the sixteenth century, has left an elaborate treatise on coal mining as it was practiced during the middle ages. From this we learn that the horse gin, which survives to the present day in some of the mining districts of Great Britain and northern Europe, was the engine chiefly employed both for lifting the coal and for getting rid of the water. This latter object was also sometimes effected by means of pumps turned by windmills or by tunnels driven with great labor to an outlet at a lower level.

## For a Bad Cold.

H. F. Vertkamp guarantees every bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and will refund the money to anyone who is not satisfied after using two-thirds of the contents. This is the best remedy in the world for la grippe, coughs, colds and whooping cough and is pleasant and safe to take. It prevents any tendency of a cold to result in pneumonia. nov 14m

## His Question.

Sister—You've seen Mrs. Newpop's baby, haven't you?  
Brother—Yes, but I'm afraid Mrs. Newpop must think I don't take any interest in babies.  
Sister—Of course, if you don't ask questions about it she—  
Brother—But I did ask a question; asked if it could set up on its hind legs and beg yet, and she wouldn't answer. —Philadelphia Press.

## JUST WHAT YOU NEED.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets.

When you feel dull after eating.  
When you have no appetite.  
When you have a bad taste in the mouth.  
When your liver is torpid.  
When your bowels are constipated.  
When you have a headache.  
When you feel bilious.  
They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach, and regulate your liver and bowels. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Wm. M. McVittie, old post office corner.

## IS A SERIOUS MATTER.

The Most Serious and Fatal Diseases Arise from Indigestion.

Chronic indigestion or dyspepsia, while a very common trouble, has for some time been looked upon by able physicians as a serious thing, and that no time should be lost in treating it properly at the start, because recent researches have shown that the most serious, fatal and incurable diseases have their origin in simple dyspepsia or indigestion.

Diabetes is simply one form of indigestion, the sugar and starch food not being assimilated by the digestive organs. In Bright's disease the albumen is not properly assimilated.

While consumption and dyspepsia are twin diseases, and it is beyond question that dyspepsia makes a fertile soil for the seeds of consumption. But the trouble has been a long time coming that could be deplored upon to cure dyspepsia as it is a notoriously obstinate and difficult to cure.

This has been the question which has puzzled physicians and dyspeptics alike, until the question was solved three years ago by the appearance of a new discovery in the medical world known as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, which it was claimed was a certain reliable cure for every form of stomach trouble.

Physicians, however, would not accept such statements without first giving the new remedy many tests and carefully observing results.

For three years the remedy has been thoroughly tested in every section of the country and with surprising and satisfactory results.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be honestly claimed to be a specific, a radical lasting cure for indigestion in the various forms of acid dyspepsia or sour stomach, gas or wind on stomach, too much bile, undue fullness or pressure after eating and similar symptoms resulting from disordered digestion.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets were not placed before the public until this three years' trial left no doubt as to their value and they have recently been placed in the trade and can be found on sale at all druggists at the nominal price of 50 cents per package.

No extravagant claims are made for the remedy. It will not cure rheumatism, pneumonia, typhoid fever nor anything but just what it is claimed to cure and that is every form of stomach trouble. No dieting is necessary, good wholesome food and plenty of it and you may rest assured that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will digest it. Druggists claim for it that it is a pleasure to recommend it to dyspeptics, because it gives such universal satisfaction.

Mr. Gordungh Soonderji Mooli, the head of the firm of Messrs. Mooli, Jetha & Co., the well-known merchants and mill owners of Bombay, died on Friday at his residence in Vithulwadi.

A Thousand Dollars Worth of Good. H. F. Vertkamp, a well-known coal operator of Buffalo, N. Y., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicine until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones, and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good." H. F. Vertkamp, corner Main and North streets.

She—"Do you think it possible for a man to love two women at the same time?" He—"Well, I believe I'd allow a little time for the first one to get around the corner."

Foley's Honey and Tar positively cures all throat and lung diseases. Refuse substitutes. H. F. Vertkamp, corner Main and North streets.

CASITORIA.  
The Kind You Have Always Bought  
Beware of Imitations  
J. H. H. H. H.

## LEGAL NOTICE.

Charles E. Bowman, plaintiff, vs. Georgia M. Bowman, defendant. Court of Common Pleas. Georgia M. Bowman, whose place of residence is unknown, late of 1232, Clark avenue, St. Louis, Missouri, will take notice that, on the second day of December, A. D. 1902, in the court of Common Pleas of Allen county, Ohio, where the action is now pending, being cause No. 11285, the undersigned, Charles E. Bowman, filed his petition against said Georgia M. Bowman, praying for divorce from her.

The said Georgia M. Bowman, is required to answer the petition in said action not later than six (6) weeks after the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1902, the date of the first publication of this notice, or such divorce may be granted.

CHARLES E. BOWMAN, Klinger & Quail, attorneys for plaintiff dec 2-2w

## NOTICE TO TAKE DEPOSITIONS.

State of Ohio, Allen County, ss. In the Court of Common Pleas. Case No. 11093.

Frederick M. Rhode, plaintiff, vs. Mary E. Rhode, defendant.

Mary E. Rhode, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 3th day of December, A. D. 1902, the above named plaintiff will take the deposition of Hattie C. Clinton, of Oeneta, N. Y., to be used as evidence in the trial of the above cause in behalf of the plaintiff at the office of Gibbs & Wilbur, attorneys-at-law in the county of Osage, in the state of New York, between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. of said day, and that the taking of the same will be adjourned from day to day between the same hours until they are completed.

FREDERICK M. RHODE, By R. L. ARMSTRONG, Attorney for Plaintiff. 25-3w

## TIMES OF HOLDING COMMON PLEAS COURT, A. D. 1903.

State of Ohio Third Judicial District. It is ordered that the terms of Common Pleas Court of the several counties in said Third Judicial District for the year 1903 be fixed as follows, to-wit: In

Shelby county on the 23rd day of February, the 18th day of May and the 16th day of November.

Aglaize county on the 19th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 26th day of September.

Allen county on the 19th day of January, the 26th day of April and the 2nd day of October.

Meeker county on the 19th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 2nd day of September.

Van Wert county on the 23rd day of February, the 18th day of May and the 16th day of November.

Putnam county on the 12th day of January, the 7th day of April and the 21st day of September.

Paulding county on the 12th day of January, the 6th day of April and the 14th day of September.

Belmont county on the 9th day of March, the 1st day of June and the 9th day of November.

Henry county on the 9th day of March, the 1st day of June and the 23rd day of November.

Fulton county on the 9th day of February, the 4th day of May and the 26th day of October.

Williams county on the 19th day of February, the 6th day of May and the 13th day of October.

Said term is to begin at ten o'clock A. M. Oct. 21, 1902.

We re-elect Hon. S. A. Armstrong judge of said district for 1902.

M. DONNELLY, S. A. ARMSTRONG, HUGH T. MATHERS, Wm. H. CUNNINGHAM, WILLIAM H. HUBBARD, Judges.

Certificate of Copy. The State of Ohio, Allen County, ss. I, M. J. Sullivan, clerk of the court of common pleas within and for the aforesaid county and state, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original times for holding common pleas court now on file in said clerk's office, in the cause.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, at Lima, Ohio this 11th day of November A. D. 1902.

[SEAL] M. J. SULLIVAN, Clerk. By E. G. MACKENZIE, Deputy.

## NOTICE.

The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of John F. Beidelschies. All persons knowing themselves to be indebted to said assignor will please settle with and assignor and all persons holding claim against assignor will file the same as soon.

H. P. WILLIAMSON, Ridenour & Halford, Attys. 25-3v

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Louis Quong, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Louis Quong, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of November: A. D. 1902. E. S. BOPE, Richie, Leland & Roby, Attys. 3v

ed to the undersigned for allowance.

WALTER J. RICHIE, Assignee. 27-2wks. Lima, Ohio, November 14th, 1902.

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Taylor Conine, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Taylor Conine, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 10th day of November, A. D. 1902. R. F. HICKEY, Administrator. P. O. Address, Gibson, O. 25-3w

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Keziah McGinnis, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as executrix of the estate of Keziah McGinnis, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 8th day of November, A. D. 1902. BEILE MCCARTHY, Richie, Leland & Roby, Attys. 3w

## NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mrs. Fanny Burns, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Fanny Burns, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 28th day of November, A. D. 1902. WALTER WATT, 39-3w

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 306½ East Wayne street, Lima, O. on

Tuesday, December 9th, 1902,

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes, under Sec. 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

4 tables, 1 extension table, 1 side board, 2 ice chests, 1 range, 40 chairs, 3 stoves, 12 beds and bedding, 12 stands, 12 commodes, 8 mirrors, 1 folding bed, 5 dressers, 10 step ladders, carpets, curtains, dishes and other articles too numerous to mention.

JAS. W. GENSELL, Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio. 35-4t

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 307 East North street, Lima, Ohio, at 9 o'clock a. m. on

Tuesday, December 9th, 1902,

the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes, under Sec. 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

2 sofas, 28 chairs, 1 stove and pipe, 1 clock, 1 sewing machine, 2 large mirrors, 1 gas stove, 2 stoves, 2 cupboards, 1 slot machine, 1 side board, 1 water tank, rubber hose, 1 porch, 1 chiffonier, 1 secretary, 5 beds and bedding, 5 commodes, 2 dressers, 1 carpet sweeper, 1 Telephone musical instrument, carpets, dishes, curtains, lamps, bed clothing, and other articles too numerous to mention.

JAS. W. GENSELL, Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio. 35-4t

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 307 Pennsylvania avenue, Lima, Ohio, on

Wednesday, December 10th, 1902,

at 9 o'clock a. m. the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes, under Sec. 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

13 chairs, 2 stools, 1 parlor stove, 1 stand, 1 refrigerator, 2 tables, 1 cook stove, 1 refrigerator, 1 cupboard and dishes, 1 bird cage, 2 beds and bedding, 1 wardrobe, 2 commodes, carpets, lace curtains, pictures and other household furniture too numerous to mention.

J. S. W. GENSELL, Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio. 35-4t

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale in the building located on Ohio No. 603, and opposite P. F. W. & C. depot, in Lima, Ohio,

Wednesday, December 10th, 1902,

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes, under Sec. 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

1 bar fixture, 1 beer pump, 1 ice box, 1 cash register, 1 secretary, 9 chairs, 1 water tank, 1 slot machine, 2 stoves and pipe, 1 hall tree, 1 sofa, 2 brass cupboards, 1 Whitney piano, 1 stand, 1 sewing machine, 2 tables, 1 side board, 2 folding beds, 4 beds and bedding, 2 dressers, 3 commodes, 1 mirror, carpets, curtains, pictures and other articles too numerous to mention.

JAS. W. GENSELL, Treasurer. Allen County, Ohio. 35-4t

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 207 East North street, Lima, Ohio, on

Monday, December 8th, 1902,

at 1 o'clock p. m. the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes under section 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

Nineteen chairs, a parlor stove, 1 range, 1 ice box, 5 dressers, 8 beds and bedding, 1 folding bed, 2 wardrobes, 6 commodes, 1 lounge, 5 lamps, 1 gasoline stove, carpets, dishes, curtains and other household furniture.

JAS. W. GENSELL, Treasurer. Allen County, O. 37-4t

## TREASURER'S SALE.

I will offer at public sale at 215 North Central avenue, Lima, Ohio, on

Monday, December 8th, 1902,

at 9 o'clock a. m. the following goods and chattels levied on by me for taxes under section 4364-12 R. S. of Ohio:

Two music boxes, 22 chairs, 2 stoves, 1 sewing machine, 4 stands, 2 tables, 1 pair opera glasses, 5 beds and bedding, 3 dressers, 4 commodes, 2 sofas, 10 cushions, carpets, curtains and other household furniture.

JAS. W. GENSELL, Treasurer, Allen County, O. 37-4t

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 11113.) Edward B. Smith, et al., Plaintiff.

vs. W. E. Brown, Defendant.

By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the Court of Common Pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, the 27th Day of December, A. D. 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number five thousand five hundred and forty-nine (5549) in Maplewood Place addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, as the same is numbered in the recorded plat of said addition in Vol. 5, page 31 of the Plat Records of Allen county, Ohio.

Appraised at \$150.00.

Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff. Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902.

Cable & Parmenter, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 25-5w

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 11122.) Edward B. Smith, et al., Plaintiff.

vs. J. J. Rockford et al., Defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

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Saturday, the 27th Day of December, A. D. 1902,

Between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number five thousand five hundred and fifty-four (5554) in Maplewood Place addition to the city of Lima, Ohio, as recorded on Plat records of Allen county, in Vol. 5, page 31.

Appraised at \$145.00.

Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff. Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, Nov. 20, 1902.

Cable & Parmenter, Plaintiff's Attorneys. 25-5w

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 11113.) Edward B. Smith, et al., Plaintiff.

vs. John R. Harman, Defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.

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Between the hours of one o'clock and two o'clock p. m. the following described lands and tenements, situate in the City of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number five thousand five hundred and thirty-five (5535) in Maplewood Place addition to the city of Lima, Allen county, Ohio, as recorded in Plat Records, Vol. 5, page 31.

Appraised at \$200.00.

Appraised at \$187.00.

Total appraisement \$387.00.

Terms: Cash.

E. J. BARR, Sheriff. Allen County, Ohio.



## CHARGED WITH A SERIOUS CRIME.

### "Assault With Intent to Kill" Filed Against Ben Tobin.

As the result of a fight that occurred in a south side barroom last night at a late hour, Tom Purcell, a well known south side youth, lies on a cot in the women's department at the city prison, dangerously wounded from a knife thrust in his groin. The police have made one arrest as a result of the disturbance, the prisoner has pleaded guilty to a charge of assault with intent to kill, and another arrest will probably be made within a short time.

The trouble according to Purcell's story occurred in the saloon conducted by L. J. Hines on south Main street south of Vine street about 1 o'clock this morning. It is alleged that Ben Tobin an eighteen year old youth who lives in Solonville and Clyde Watt of Perry township became engaged in a controversy and Purcell endeavored to separate them whereupon Tobin stabbed him with a pocket knife the blade inflicting a fatal wound in the groin.

The combatants got away before the police took a hand in the affair but Tobin was arrested later by officer Billestein and Van Eiman, while Purcell was taken to the police station in a hack. A physician was called and the injured man was placed under the influence of either while his wound was dressed. The injury is a serious one but the attending physician has no fear of the result unless blood poison develops.

Tobin was arraigned in morning court this morning on a charge of assault with intent to kill. He pleaded guilty to the charge and was bound over to the grand jury. The major has not yet fixed the amount of his bail preferring to wait and ascertain the seriousness of the wound sustained by young Purcell.

Although Watt the Perry township man who is alleged to have been involved in the trouble with Tobin is now charged with having anything to do with the stabbing of Purcell he will probably be arrested.

## DID

### Not Respond to His Name

### And the Bond

### Of Michael Brennan was Forfeited.

### Red Donahue, His Companion, Will be Tried Tomorrow

### And If Brennan is Located He Will Have to Return to Lima and Take the Consequences.

The trial of Michael Brennan and Red Donahue was held in morning court today. Brennan was arraigned on a charge of assault with intent to kill and Donahue on a charge of assault. Brennan's bond was forfeited and he was committed to jail. Donahue's bond was also forfeited and he was committed to jail. The trial will continue tomorrow.

Red Donahue was arraigned in morning court today on a charge of assault. He was committed to jail. The trial will continue tomorrow.

The official in the City and Police office will be busy tomorrow attending to the vouchers of the soldiers and their wives who will receive their certificates for the last quarter in the year.

**Real Estate Transfers.**  
N. A. Martin to James Wright, \$1000.00.

Frank J. Seidemann to H. L. Taylor, \$1000.00.

Paternity Charge.  
H. L. Taylor vs. H. L. Taylor.

Donahue who has been in jail for several months will be put on trial tomorrow for the alleged theft of the wool which was taken from Joseph Ward's at the Lima House.

Donahue may have trouble in getting out of a serious scrape.

**SEAMLESS OVERCOATS, 50 INCHES LONG, JUST ARRIVED. ALBRECHT BROS AMERICAN CLOTHIERS**

**NOTICE, A O H**  
A meeting of Division No. 2 A O H in St. John's hall at 7:30 Thursday evening. Election of officers will take place.

By order of President  
**NOW IS THE TIME TO BUY A WINTER WRAP AS FELTZ'S ARE SELLING THEIR ENTIRE STOCK AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES AND THE BEST OF IT IS THERE ARE NO OLD GARMENTS IN THEIR STOCK**

Madam Roche Medium and Palmistry reader. This is the last week 127 west Wayne street. 12:30.

Boys' Sweaters in cotton wool and silk at reduced prices at The Union.

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## LIMA

### People Not in the Big Money

### In the Contest

### For the Enquirer's Vote Guessing.

### B. Y. Reider Heads the Local List With a Winning of \$100.

### Fifteen Persons in This City Get Within the Prize Limit But Only Win a Total Amount of \$254.

The Enquirer's great vote guessing contest has finally passed into history and as a return for the several thousand dollars in cash that was handed in the lottery by the people of this city the amount of two hundred and fifty four dollars is returned to Lima in prize money to be divided between fifteen citizens who sent in guesses that came within the prize limit.

The heavy winner in Lima is Ben Reider, proprietor of the Maine restaurant, whose guess was only five votes short of the first prize. Mr. Reider is one of the fifteen persons who will divide the sixth prize of \$1500, consequently he will receive \$100.

The next in the list in this city is S. M. Churchill of the First National Bank, who guessed near or the total number of votes cast than did Mr. Reider, but being one of twenty seven persons to divide the prize his proportion is only about seventy dollars. The total number of votes cast was 811,497 and Mr. Churchill's guess was 811,465. The total of the prize in his class was \$2,600.

The list of winners in this city and the amounts of their winning is as follows:

R. Y. Reider	72 Public square	\$100
S. M. Churchill	204 North Collet st	75
Edna A. Smalley	799 S Metcalf st	50
Elmer E. Hay	545 West North st	5
R. E. Edmunds	416 E North st	5
J. C. Burns	321 N West st	5
F. H. Pink	321 N West st	5
J. J. Hodge	N Main street	5
W. H. Stephens	333 W North st	5
John A. Mark	305 W Kibb's st	5
Thos. Broderick	Rural route No 7	5
Shaw Johnson	549 N Elizabeth st	5
M. F. Edman	16 E Mark st	5
Ed C. Liles		5
Mrs. C. L. Robbins	E McKibben st	5

Total \$254

**"LITTLE TYCOON" HOSPITAL BENEFIT, SEAT SALE DEC. 4, 9 00 O'CLOCK, A. M.**

**DON'T MISS "LITTLE TYCOON." SEAT SALE DEC 4TH, 9 A. M.**

Neglected colds make a fat graveyard. Dr. Woods' Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy vigorous old age.

**BUY A LOT IN THE PRICE 2ND. ADDITION BEFORE THEY ARE ALL SOLD. ONLY \$10.00 CASH, \$5 PER MONTH**

**JOHN M. BOOSE, AGT 231 BLACK BLOCK.**

**NOTICE CT. THELMA 393, I. O. F.**

Regular meeting of Companion Ct. Thelma No 393 Thursday afternoon Dec 4th, at 2 o'clock prompt. Annual election of officers and other important business for final action.

**K. MATHEWS, C. R. ROSA M. TOY, Rec Secy**

**RALSTON HEALTH SHOES FOR MEN ARE WATER PROOF MICHAELS'**

Special values in Boys and Girls Shoes at The Union.

### Special Rug Sale

If you miss seeing one of those handsome Japanese Rugs in Navajo Indian of fects—just the thing for library den or parlor—you will miss the last rug bargains ever offered in Lima. For blinding colors, they are fascinating and fetching. Only a limited number on sale, worth \$2.50, special Thursday \$1.85.

### Neuman & Kettler

Furn. Co.



## Christmas.

The time to do the Christmas shopping is now. The display of Holiday Novelties is ready.

### Gloves.

Kid Gloves, a fine assortment. (First Floor Left.)

Christmas Gloves both for Men and Ladies', the good kind, at \$1 and \$1.50 per pair.

Ladies' Street Gloves at \$1.

### Handkerchiefs.

(First Floor Left)

Linen Embroidered Hemstitched Handkerchiefs at 15c and 25c.

Linen embroidered fancy hemstitched and fancy edge at 15c and 25c.

Holiday handkerchiefs from 25c to \$1.

Initial Handkerchiefs for Ladies at 15c and 25c. Each special.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs 25c and 50c each.

Men's Mufflers in silk from 50c to \$1.50.

### The Silk Counter

is always busy. The magnificent variety and the low prices the cause.

(First Floor Front)

Changeable Beau de Sevant and Beau de Chamois in several shades, 24-inches, at \$1.

Peau de Cygne, all evening shades, at \$1 per yard.

Gersha Silk, all shades, for lining, 39c.

### Black Dress Goods.

(First Floor Front)

Some of the best bargains we have offered for some time will be found here.

A wool crash, 38-inch, worth 58c, for 39c.

A 88c Melrose, 42-inches wide, for 50c.

A 75c Melrose, 44-inches wide, for 50c.

A Iceland Crepe, 40-inch, worth 75c, for 49c.

A fine Luster, 88c value, for 69c.

A special Luster, \$1 value, for 75c.

A fine Melrose, \$1 value for 75c.

A 42-inch Canvas Cloth, worth 75c, for 49c.

A elegant 44-inch Basket Weave for 75c.

An all wool diagonal cloth for Suits, 60 inches wide, worth \$1.50, for 98c.

### Holiday Umbrellas.

(First Floor Left)

Christmas Umbrellas for Ladies.

Silk and wool Umbrellas, horn handle and silk case, for \$1.35.

Silk and wool Umbrellas, horn and metal handles with silk case, special for \$1.50.

Silk and wool Umbrellas, a fine assortment of handles, at \$1.75 and \$2 each.

Silk Umbrellas, all choice pearl handles gold trimming, at \$3 to \$5 each.

### Government Arms.

(Second Floor Front)

Sold cheap and just the thing for cozy corner decorations.

Guns at \$2.50 each.

Sabers at \$1.50 each.

Bayonets at 39c each.

New Leather goods.

New Pillow Tops for Holidays.

New Cords and Tassels.

### New Silk Petticoats.

(Second Floor.)

Have been hurrying in, just as full of charm and rustle as ever, and they will be put in Christmas gift-boxes if you wish.

Colored and black silk Skirts, pleated flounce, with ruffle, \$5.

Colored changeable silk Skirts, deep pleated flounce with hemstitched ruffle at \$8.

Colored and black silk Skirts with deep ruffle flounce and four-inch pleating, a special at \$10.

### Wrist Bags.

(First Floor)

Wrist Bags in black at 50c.

Wrist Bags in black, tan, brown and grey at \$1.

Wrist Bags, quite special in black at \$1.25.

Wrist Bags with fine gun metal and other fine trimming, at \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.

### Women's Ribbed Underwear.

(First Floor Rear)

Ladies' white ribbed fleeced, silk trimmed, at 25c.

Ladies' white and natural heavy fleeced and ribbed, shaped silk trimmed, at 50c.

Ladies' Union Suits and natural fleeced and fine ribbed at 50c.

Also out sizes or large sizes, 50c.

Natural grey Union Suits at \$1.

Fine white Union Suits at \$1.50.

### Wool Blankets.

(First Floor Left.)

St. Marys Blankets, a fine assortment the good kind.

White wool Blankets, the fine quality, with choice borders, at \$5 each.

White wool Blankets, St. Marys, at \$5, \$5.75 to \$7.50.

American beauty Blankets, a checked Blanket all shades, at \$5 each.

Northwestern Blankets all wool Blanket at \$3.75.

Cotton Blankets at 50c, 85c, \$1 and \$1.25 each.

### Smoking Jackets and House Coats.

(Third Floor)

Smoking Jackets in brown and garnet, trimmed, with cord and stitching, at \$5.

Oxford Smoking Jackets, black and white, trimmed, at \$5.

Navy, garnet and brown Smoking Jackets, a special good value, \$5.

Covert cloth Smoking Jackets, quilted, satin lined, at \$7.50.

Navy, brown and grey Smoking Coats in reversible cloth, plaid, trimmed, \$7.50.

Silk Mattasee Cloth Smoking Coats \$10.

Velour Smoking Jackets in black, with white dots, silk lined, at \$12.50.



### Dress

### Goods.

55-57 Public Square.

### Suit

### House.



### WRECK AT PIQUA.

The thru section of C. H. & D. freight 82 crashed into the rear of the second section of 82 near the Piqua mill. Tuesday Fireman Hyatt, of Columbus, jumped and was badly cut, but the engineer M. O. Booth of the same place stayed with the cab until it rolled down the embankment and turned over on the side. He escaped without injury. Three cars were smashed into splinters. One of the cars contained coal and it was scattered all around. There were a large number of sightseers to see the wreck.—Troy Record.

### Railroad Notes.

Engineer G. E. Shoemaker and his fireman George O'Brien who have been on the Decker-Bridley passenger run for the past two weeks, have returned to Lima, and will take their turn on the Main line.

Try Townsend's Groceries.